

Deerfield

New Hampshire

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Report

1957

ANNUAL REPORTS

of the

TOWN OFFICERS

of the

TOWN OF

DEERFIELD

New Hampshire

For the Year Ending
December 31, 1957

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TOWN OFFICERS

Moderator

PRESTON B. WARES

Town Clerk

ALBERT H. BURTT

Treasurer

CHARLES M. COPELAND

Selectmen

HOWARD P. KING

CARL M. FOGG

ROBERT B. SANBORN

Highway Agent

MAURICE R. STEVENS

Tax Collector

LOLA G. JOHNSTON

Auditors

RUSSELL W. BOWDEN

WILLIAM C. MAXWELL

REINHOLD H. ANDERSON

Trustees of Trust Funds

WILLIE C. FIFE	Term expires March, 1958
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WALTER B. SCOTT	Term expires March, 1959
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LESTER E. MAYNARD	Term expires March, 1960
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Library Trustees

CARL M. FOGG	Term expires March, 1958
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PRESTON B. WARES	Term expires March, 1958
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RUTH B. PENNELL	Term expires March, 1959
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LESTER E. MAYNARD	Term expires March, 1959
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WALTER B. SCOTT	Term expires March, 1960
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WILLIAM E. SANBORN	Term expires March, 1960
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Librarian

LOLA G. JOHNSTON

Supervisors of Check List

WILLIE C. FIFE

WALTER B. SCOTT

ALF G. LINDAHL

School Board

RUTH B. PENNELL

WADSWORTH WINSLOW, Jr.

CORNELIUS P. SHORT

School Treasurer

PHILIP K. LINDSAY

Fire Chief

WILLIS T. ROLLINS

Constable

BENJAMIN F. KINGHAM

Veasey Park Commissioners

WALTER B. SCOTT

LESTER E. MAYNARD

CARL M. FOGG

Health Officer

CORNELIUS P. SHORT

Forest Fire Warden

KENNETH W. NAY

Representative

COL. ROLAND C. BATCHELDER

Director of Civil Defense

COL. ROLAND C. BATCHELDER

Advisory Budget Committee

RUSSELL W. BOWDEN, Chairman

Term expires March, 1958

GEORGE H. ROBINSON

Term expires March, 1958

LEONARD T. BURRITT

Term expires March, 1958

PHILIP K. LINDSAY

Term expires March, 1959

WILLIAM C. MAXWELL

Term expires March, 1959

RUFORD J. PITCHER

Term expires March, 1959

JOHN S. BRINKLER, Clerk

Term expires March, 1960

JOHN M. COLE

Term expires March, 1960

REINHOLD H. ANDERSON

Term expires March, 1960

The State of New Hampshire
TOWN WARRANT

To the Inhabitants of the Town of Deerfield in the County of Rockingham in said state, qualified to vote in Town Affairs:

[L. s.]

You are hereby notified to meet at Town Hall in said Deerfield on Tuesday, the eleventh day of March, next at nine of the clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose all necessary Town Officers for the year ensuing.
2. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary to defray Town charges for the ensuing year and make appropriations of the same.
3. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate the sum of \$3,000.00 to be expended on Mountain Ave., the State to contribute \$6,000.00.
4. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate the sum of \$1,173.68 for Town Road Aid, the State to contribute \$7,824.53.
5. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate a sum not exceeding \$16,000.00 for the purpose of making improvements to the following Class V roads within the Town: No. 53 South Road, No. 64 Leavitts Hill Road, No. 68 Ridge Road, No. 69, Old Center Road.

Such sum to be raised through the issuance of bonds or notes under and in compliance with the provisions of Chapter 241, New Hampshire Revised Statutes Annotated, 1955, and to authorize the Selectmen to determine the date and place of payment of such bonds or notes and to determine

the rate of interest thereon, and to take such other steps as may be necessary to negotiate such bonds or notes as shall be to the best interests of the Town of Deerfield.

6. To see if the Town will vote to discontinue the Highway leading from the Jack Whitter place, so called, to the Old Marston place, so called.

7. To see if the Town will vote to instruct the Selectmen to hire money in anticipation of taxes.

8. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to sell property acquired through Tax Collector's Deeds.

9. To see if the Town will vote to tax the Highway from the Old Center corner by the Old Center cemetery, and raise and appropriate money for the same.

10. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Moderator, Town Clerk, and Town Treasurer to appoint a committee of three to work with the Selectmen to see if new industries could be established in Deerfield.

11. To see if the Town will vote to establish a Planning Board.

12. To see if the Town will vote to adopt the provisions of the Municipal Budget Law.

13. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate a sum not to exceed \$36,931.95 for the purpose of making improvements to Class V roads within the Town as selected by a committee consisting of one Selectman, the Road Agent, the Chief of the Deerfield Volunteer Fire Department, one member of the Advisory Budget Committee, and the Department of Public Works and Highways, District Engineer for District No. 6, subject to a review and final approval by the Commissioner of New Hampshire Department of Public Works and Highways, such sum to be raised through the issuance of bonds or notes under and in compliance with the provisions of Chapter 241, New Hampshire Revised Statutes

Annotated 1955, and to authorize the Selectmen to determine the date and place of payment of such bonds or notes and to determine the rate of interest thereon, and to take such other steps as may be necessary to negotiate such bonds or notes as shall be to the best interest of the Town of Deerfield.

14. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate a sum not exceeding \$22,600.00 for the purpose of paying its share of the cost of completing the Federal Aid Secondary System in Deerfield, the route of the road to be determined by the Commissioner of New Hampshire Department of Public Works and Highways after a public hearing, notice of which shall be given at least seven days in advance, such sum to be raised through the issuance of bonds or notes under and in compliance with the provisions of Chapter 241, New Hampshire Revised Statutes Annotated, 1955, and to authorize the Selectmen to determine the date and place of payment of such bonds or notes and to determine the rate of interest thereon, and to take such other steps as may be necessary to negotiate such bonds or notes as shall be to the best interests of the Town of Deerfield.

15. To transact any other business that may legally come before said meeting.

Given under our hands and seal, this 22nd day of February, in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and fifty-eight.

HOWARD P. KING,
CARL M. FOGG,
ROBERT B. SANBORN,
Selectmen of Deerfield

A true copy of Warrant—Attest:

HOWARD P. KING,
CARL M. FOGG,
ROBERT B. SANBORN,
Selectmen of Deerfield

*Budget of the
Town of Deerfield, N. H.*

BUDGET OF THE TOWN OF

Estimates of Revenue and Expenditures for the Ensuing
Estimated and Actual Revenue, Appropriations and
to December

SOURCES OF REVENUE	Estimated Revenue Previous Year 1957	Actual Revenue Previous Year 1957	Estimated Revenue Ensuing Year 1958
<i>From State:</i>			
Interest and Dividends Tax	\$2,500.00	\$2,107.52	\$2,000.00
Savings Bank Tax	60.00	111.77	60.00
Reimbursement a/c State and Federal forest lands	214.63	212.68	210.00
Reimbursement a/c Old Age Assistance .....	.....	250.00	.....
<i>From Local Sources Except Taxes:</i>			
Dog Licenses	360.00	415.00	400.00
Business Licenses, Permits and Filing Fees	25.00	9.00	20.00
Rent of Town Hall and Other Buildings .....	.....	45.50	.....
Motor Vehicle Permit Fees	3,600.00	4,088.90	4,000.00
Sale of Town Property .....	.....	70.00	.....
<i>From Local Taxes Other Than Property Taxes:</i>			
(a) Poll Taxes—Regular at \$2	630.00	430.00	650.00
(b) National Bank Stock Taxes	1.00	1.00	1.00
(c) Yield Taxes	2,636.88	2,509.67	1,903.70
Total Revenue from All Sources Except Property Taxes	\$10,027.51	\$10,339.04	\$9,244.70

DEERFIELD, NEW HAMPSHIRE

Year January 1, 1958 to December 31, 1958, Compared with
Expenditures of the Previous Year January 1, 1957
31, 1957.

PURPOSES OF EXPENDITURES	Appropriations Previous Year 1957	Actual Expenditures Previous Year 1957	Estimated Expenditures Eusuing Year 1958
<i>Current Maintenance Expenses:</i>			
<i>General Government:</i>			
Town Officers' Salaries	\$1,000.00	\$980.00	\$1,100.00
Town Officers' Expenses	1,600.00	1,669.35	1,200.00
Election and Registration Expenses ..	150.00	135.80	550.00
Expenses Town Hall and Other Town Bldgs.	1,300.00	1,250.83	300.00
<i>Protection of Persons and Property:</i>			
Police Department	150.00	150.00	150.00
Fire Department	1,800.00	1,800.00	1,800.00
Moth Exterm.—Blister, Forest Fire..	422.31	170.54	200.00
Insurance	295.75	465.93	700.00
Civil Defense	100.00	14.00	.....
<i>Health:</i>			
Health Department, Including			
Hospitals	50.00	37.50	50.00
Vital Statistics .....	.....	34.00	50.00
Surplus Commodities	50.00	99.62	100.00
Town Dump and Garbage Removal ..	200.00	360.50	300.00
<i>Highways and Bridges:</i>			
Town Maintenance—Summer	5,500.00	5,500.00	5,000.00
Town Maintenance—Winter	10,000.00	7,700.00	7,700.00
Grader Insurance	90.25	69.25	50.00
General Expenses of Highway Dept. .	.....	72.30	.....
Town Road Aid	963.44	963.44	1,173.68
Libraries	50.00	57.45	.....
<i>Public Welfare:</i>			
Town Poor	800.00	1,402.16	800.00
Old Age Assistance	3,200.00	3,092.10	3,000.00
<i>Patriotic Purposes:</i>			
Memorial Day and Veterans' Asso- ciations	200.00	200.00	200.00
<i>Recreation:</i>			
Parks and Playground, Incl. Band Concerts	200.00	180.73	200.00
<i>Unclassified:</i>			
Damages and Legal Expenses	50.00	38.00	50.00
<i>Interest:</i>			
On Temporary Loans	450.00	666.09	600.00
On Principal of Trust Funds Used by Town	300.00	300.00	300.00
<i>Highways and Bridges:</i>			
State Aid Construction—Town's Share	2,000.00	2,000.00	3,000.00
Water Holes	400.00	400.00	400.00
County Taxes	3,929.84	3,929.84	.....
School Taxes	46,261.86	41,184.42	53,255.88
Total Expenditures	\$81,513.45	\$74,933.85	\$81,629.56

INVENTORY

Land and Buildings		\$968,290.00
Mills and Machinery		2,000.00
Electric Plants		199,747.00
Stock in Trade		4,350.00
Boats and Launches	10	5,800.00
Horses, Asses and Mules	28	2,540.00
Cows	203	19,700.00
Neat Stock	10	690.00
Sheep and Goats	18	200.00
Fowls	1480	1,120.00
Gasoline Pumps	9	1,090.00
Portable Mills	5	4,500.00
Fur-bearing Animals	114	1,100.00
Wood and Lumber		59,600.00
Total Gross Valuation		<hr/> \$1,271,227.00
Less: Soldiers' Exemptions		67,330.00
Exemption to Blind		1,000.00
		<hr/> \$68,330.00
Net Valuation on which Tax Rate		
Is Computed		\$1,202,897.00
Taxes Committed to Collector:		
Property Taxes		\$71,572.38
Poll Taxes		608.00
National Bank Stock Taxes		1.00
Total Taxes Committed to Collector		<hr/> \$72,181.38
Tax Rate per \$100.00 Valuation		\$5.95

APPROPRIATIONS

Town Officers' Salaries	\$1,000.00
Town Officers' Expenses	1,600.00
Election and Registration Expenses	150.00
Expenses Town Hall and Other Buildings	1,300.00
Forest Fires	422.31
Police Department	150.00
Fire Department	1,800.00
Insurance	295.75
Civil Defense	100.00
Health Department	50.00
Surplus Commodities	50.00
Town Dump	200.00
Summer Roads	5,300.00
Winter Roads	10,000.00
Grader Insurance	90.25
Town Road Aid	963.44
Library Insurance	50.00
Town Poor	800.00
Old Age Assistance	3,200.00
Memorial Day	200.00
Veasey Park	200.00
Damages and Legal Expenses	50.00
Interest on Temporary Loans	450.00
Interest on Prin. of Trust Fund	300.00
State Aid Construction	2,000.00
Water Holes	400.00
School Taxes	46,661.86
Tar Driveways, Town Hall, Baptist Church	200.00
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	\$77,983.61
Plus County Tax	3,929.84
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	\$81,913.45

Less: Estimated Revenues and Credits:		
Interest and Dividends Tax	\$2,107.52	
Railroad Tax	2.00	
Savings Bank Tax	50.00	
Reimbursement State Lands	263.40	
Motor Vehicle Permit Fees	3,600.00	
Revenue from Yield Taxes	4,000.00	
Dog Licenses	400.00	
Business Licenses and Permits	28.00	
Sale of Property Deeded to Town	50.00	
Less Amount Awarded School		
District	550.00	
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		\$70,862.49
Plus Overlay		1,317.89
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Net Amount To Be Raised by Taxation		\$72,181.38
Less: 304 Poll Taxes	\$608.00	
National Bank Stock Tax	1.00	
	<hr/>	609.00
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Amount To Be Raised by Property Tax		\$71,572.38

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF APPROPRIATIONS AND EXPENDITURES

	Appropriation	Expenditures	Unexpended Balance	Over-draft
Town Officers Salaries	\$1,000.00	\$980.00	\$20.00	.....
Town Officers Expenses	1,600.00	1,669.35	.....	\$69.35
Elections and Registrations	150.00	135.80	14.20	.....
Town Hall and other Building ..	1,300.00	1,250.83	49.17	.....
Police Dept.	150.00	15.00	.....	.....
Fire Dept.	1,800.00	1,800.00	.....	.....
Forest Fire	422.31	170.54	251.77	.....
Water Holes	400.00	400.00	.....	.....
Town Lines .....	.....	141.00	.....	.....
Civil Defense	100.00	14.00	86.00	.....
Health Dept.	50.00	37.50	12.50	.....
Vital Statistics .....	.....	34.00	.....	.....
Surplus Commodities	50.00	99.62	.....	.....
Town Dump	200.00	360.50	.....	160.50
Town Road Aid	963.44	963.44	.....	.....
Town Road -- Summer	5,300.00	5,300.00	.....	.....
Town Road -- Winter	10,000.00	7,700.00	.....	2,300.00
Grader Insurance	95.25	69.25	21.00	.....
Town Poor	800.00	1,402.10	602.10	.....
Old Age Assistance	3,200.00	3,092.16	107.84	.....
Memorial Day	200.00	200.00	.....	.....
Veasey Park	200.00	180.73	19.27	.....
Damage and Legal Expenses	50.00	38.00	12.00	.....
Interest on accounts	750.00	966.09	.....	216.09
State Aid Construction	2,000.00	2,000.00	.....	.....
County Tax	3,929.84	3,929.84	.....	.....
School Tax	46,661.86	41,184.42	.....	3,477.44
Tar Driveway Baptist Church ..	200.00	200.00	.....	.....

FINANCIAL STATEMENT
Fiscal Year Ending December 31, 1957

• *Assets*

Cash on hand, Treasurer	\$7,439.39
Cash on hand, Road Agent	741.43
Other Bills Due Town :	
Tarvia	55.00
1957 Yield Tax	1,903.70
Unredeemed Taxes :	
Levy of 1956	593.15
Levy of 1955	407.49
Previous Years	1,395.97
Uncollected Taxes :	
Levy of 1957	11,241.31
Levy of 1956	256.00
Levy of 1955	425.30
Previous Years	444.64
State Head Taxes	580.00
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Total Assets	\$25,483.38

Liabilities

Duncan Fund	\$90.69
1957 Head Tax Due State (uncollected)	580.00
Yield Tax (uncollected)	882.56
Balance Appropriation Due School	26,589.91
Jenness Fund	5,000.00
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Total Liabilities	\$33,143.16
Net Debt, December 31, 1956	\$12,553.75
Net Debt, December 31, 1957	\$7,659.78
Decrease of Debt	\$4,893.97

SCHEDULE OF TOWN PROPERTY

Town Hall:

Land and Building	\$12,000.00
Furniture and Equipment—	
3 safes, 5 stoves, chairs, tables, adding machine	500.00

Library:

Land and Building	8,000.00
Equipment	3,000.00

Highway Department:

Land and Building	600.00
Equipment—	
Adams Grader, plow and wing, 2 truck plows and wings, pony grader, blade plow	4,000.00

Parks:

Veasey	1,000.00
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School:

Land and Building	44,000.00
Equipment	7,000.00

Total	\$80,100.00
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TOWN CLERK'S REPORT

Received for 1956 Dog Licenses :

2 Males at \$2.00	\$4.00
2 Spayed Females at \$2.00	4.00

Received for 1957 Dog Licenses :

98 Males at \$2.00	\$196.00
29 Females at \$2.00	145.00
33 Spayed Females at \$2.00	66.00
1 Kennel at \$12.00	12.00
42 Penalties at .50	21.00

448.00

Clerk's Fees

33.00

\$415.00

1957 Paid Charles M. Copeland, Treasurer :

Jan. 26, 1956 Dog Licenses	\$7.20
Feb. 23, 1957 Dog Licenses	10.80
March 30, 1957 Log Licenses	23.40
April 27, 1957 Dog Licenses	24.60
May 25, 1957 Dog Licenses	112.80
June 29, 1957 Dog Licenses	66.60
July 27, 1957 Dog Licenses	142.50
Aug. 31, 1957 Dog Licenses	15.80
Oct. 26, 1957 Dog Licenses	4.10
Dec. 31, 1957 Dog Licenses	7.20

\$415.00

Received for Auto Registration Permits :

\$4,088.90

1957 Paid Charles M. Copeland Treasurer :

Jan. 26, 1956 Auto Permits	\$23.40
1957 Auto Permits	126.06

Feb.	23, 1956 Auto Permits	3.87
	1957 Auto Permits	729.16
March	30, 1957 Auto Permits	1,868.03
April	27, 1957 Auto Permits	219.70
May	25, 1957 Auto Permits	180.40
June	29, 1957 Auto Permits	209.76
July	27, 1957 Auto Permits	178.15
Aug.	31, 1957 Auto Permits	129.66
Sept.	22, 1957 Auto Permits	52.41
Oct.	26, 1957 Auto Permits	111.26
Nov.	30, 1957 Auto Permits	146.85
Dec.	31, 1956 Auto Permits	.50
	1957 Auto Permits	82.62
	1958 Auto Permits	27.07
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		\$4,088.90
Received for Candidates Filing Fees		\$9.00
March 30, 1957, paid C. M. Copeland, Treasurer		6.75
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Total Amount paid Town Treasurer		\$4,510.65

Respectfully submitted,

ALBERT H. BURTT,
Town Clerk

AUDITORS' REPORT

Deerfield, N. H., January 4, 1958

This is to certify that we have examined the records of Albert H. Burtt, Town Clerk, and find them well vouched and in balance, and all money turned over to the Town Treasurer as required :

W. C. MAXWELL,
R. W. BOWDEN,
R. H. ANDERSON,
Auditors.

TAX COLLECTOR'S REPORT, 1957**Year Ending December 31, 1957**

1957 WARRANTS*Dr.*

Property Taxes	\$71,602.71
Poll Taxes	608.00
Head Taxes	1,945.00
Head Tax Penalties	6.00
Yield Taxes	5,295.37
Bank Stock Tax	1.00
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	<u>\$79,458.08</u>

Cr.

Remitted to Treasurer	\$65,746.18
Uncollected Taxes January 1, 1958:	
Property	11,063.31
Poll	178.00
Head	580.00
Yield	1,903.70
Over remittance to Treasurer	13.11
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	<u>\$79,458.08</u>

1956 WARRANTS*Dr.*

Uncollected Taxes January 1, 1957:	
Property	\$10,749.05
Poll	154.00
Head	500.00
Yield	3,164.23
Added Head Taxes	25.00
Penalties Collected	40.00

Interest Collected	345.12
Adjustment—Verifications	48.00
Adjustment—1956 Collections Remitted 1957	61.00
Errors—Tax Sales—Taxes Oversold	61.60
	<u>\$15,052.00</u>

Cr.

Remitted to Treasurer	\$14,473.90
Uncollected Taxes January 1, 1958:	
Property	212.00
Poll	44.00
Head	65.00
Yield	257.10
	<u>\$15,052.00</u>

PREVIOUS YEARS

Dr.

Uncollected Taxes January 1, 1957:	
1955 Property	\$1,068.79
1955 Poll	52.00
1955 Timber	61.20
1955 Head	102.00
1954 Property	305.68
1954 Poll	34.00
1954 Timber	117.83
1953 Property	134.90
1953 Timber	529.58
1952 Timber	231.40
1956 Collection to Treas. in 1957	2.00
Interest Collected	76.67
Penalties Collected	2.00
	<u>\$2,718.05</u>

Cr.

Remitted to Treasurer	\$1,244.53
Uncollected Taxes January 1, 1958:	
1955 Property—Poll—Yield	486.50
1955 Head	87.00
1954 Property—Poll	260.64
1953 Property—Yield	558.38
1952 Yield	81.00
	<u>\$2,718.05</u>

TAXES REDEEMED IN 1957

1956 Property Taxes and Costs	\$288.56
1955 Property Taxes and Costs	283.42
Previous Years	118.05
Remitted to Treasurer	<u>\$690.03</u>
Total Remittances to Treasurer	<u>\$82,154.64</u>

Respectfully submitted,

LOLA G. JOHNSTON,
Collector.

AUDITORS' CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that we have examined the accounts and records of the tax collector for the year ending December 31, 1957 to the best of our ability with evidence submitted and believe the figures as set forth to be substantially correct.

W. C. MAXWELL,
RUSSELL BOWDEN,
REINHOLD ANDERSON,
Auditors.

February 4, 1958.

TREASURER'S REPORT, 1957

Annual Report of Treasurer, Town of Deerfield, N. H.

This report covers the period January 1, 1957 through December 31, 1957.

Cash on Hand January 1, 1957	\$353.83
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Received from :

Exeter Banking Co.	28,010.00
Lola G. Johnston, Collector	82,154.64
Albert H. Burt, Clerk	4,510.65
Treasurer, State of N. H.	4,492.55
Dept. of Public Welfare	1,210.00
W. C. Fife, Trustee of Trust Funds	15,165.00

Board of Selectmen :

Twelve pistol permits	6.00
Rent of Town Hall	45.50
Sale of property held by Selectmen	70.00
Forest fire rebate	2.20
Use of Town Hall phone	.50
Deerfield Fair Assoc., dump supervision	136.00
Austin Cargell, fire refund	65.45
Town of Nottingham, N. H., culvert	134.95
Robert O. Boehmer, oil for driveway	20.00
Lester E. Maynard, insurance rebate	45.43
State Dept. of Forestry and Recreation	52.32

Total Receipts	\$136,475.02
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Total Payments	129,035.63
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December 31, 1957, Balance on Hand	\$7,439.39
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Respectfully submitted,

CHARLES M. COPELAND,
Treasurer.

AUDITORS' CERTIFICATE

Deerfield, N. H.

January 4, 1958

This certifies that we have examined the accounts of Charles M. Copeland, Town Treasurer, and find them correct and well vouched.

W. C. MAXWELL,
R. W. BOWDEN,
R. H. ANDERSON,

Auditors.

SUMMARY OF RECEIPTS

From Local Taxes:

Property Taxes, 1957	\$61,009.92
Poll Taxes, 1957	432.00
National Bank Taxes, 1957	1.00
Yield Taxes, 1957	3,039.92
State Head Taxes, 1957	1,360.00

Total 1957 Taxes Collected and Remitted \$65,842.84

Property Taxes and Yield Taxes, previous years	\$14,639.14
Poll Taxes, previous years	138.00
State Head Taxes, previous years	545.00
Interest on Taxes, previous years	329.31
Penalties on Head Taxes	49.00
Tax Sales Redeemed	611.45

Total Previous Years' Taxes \$16,311.80

From State:

Class V Highway Maintenance	\$2,045.92
Interest and Dividend Tax	2,107.52
Savings Bank Tax, 1956-57	111.77
Reimbursement State Land	212.68
Fighting Forest Fires	52.32
Reimbursement O. A. A., Anna Taylor	250.00

Total State	<u>\$4,780.21</u>
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From Local Sources Except Taxes:

Dog Licenses	\$415.00
Business License Permits	15.50
Rent of Town Property	45.50
Interest Refund	10.00
Registration Motor Vehicles, 1956	27.27
Registration Motor Vehicles, 1957	4,061.63

Total	<u>\$4,574.90</u>
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Receipts Other than Current Revenue:

Temporary Loans in anticipation of Taxes	\$28,000.00
Insurance Adjustments	45.43
Refunds	14.61
Withdrawals from Capital Reserve Fund	15,165.00
Sale of Town Property	70.00
Tarvia	20.00
Town of Nottingham, payment for culvert	134.95

Austin Cargill Refund on Forest Fire	65.45
Deerfield Fair Asso., deferred on Dump	136.00
Dept. of Public Welfare, board Rand Children	960.00

Total	<u>\$44,611.44</u>
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Total Receipts from all Sources	<u>136,121.19</u>
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Cash on Hand January 1, 1957	353.83
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	<u>\$136,475.02</u>
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SUMMARY OF PAYMENTS

General Government :

Town Officers' Salaries	\$980.00
Town Officers' Expenses	1,669.35
Election and Registration	135.80
Bonds	159.44
Town Hall Expenses	250.83

Protection of Person and Property :

Police Department	150.00
Town Lines	141.00
Fire Department	1,800.00
Forest Fire Department	170.54
Civil Defense	14.00
Insurance	535.18

Health :

Health Department	37.50
Vital Statistics	34.00
Town Dump	360.50

Highways :

Town Road Aid	963.44
Town Maintenance—Summer	5,500.00
Town Maintenance—Winter	7,700.00
Duncan Fund	2,000.00
Expense of Highway Dept.	72.30

Library	57.45
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Public Welfare :

Old Age Assistance	3,092.10
Town Poor	1,402.16
Surplus Commodities	99.62

Patriotic Purposes :

Memorial Day	200.00
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Recreation :	
Veasey Park	180.73
Unclassified :	
Damages and Legal Expenses	38.00
Taxes Bought by Town	881.71
Abatements and Refunds	753.90
Water Holes	400.00
Interest :	
Paid on Temporary Loans	666.09
Jenness Fund	300.00
Outlay for New Construction :	
State Aid Construction	15,165.00
State Road Appropriation	2,000.00
Town Hall Fund	1,500.00
Indebtedness :	
Payments on Temporary Loans	32,500.00
Payments to Other Governmental Division :	
State Treasurer, Head Taxes, 1957	1,159.00
State Treasurer, Head Taxes, Previous Years	422.80
State Treasurer, Yield Tax, 1956	428.93
County Treasurer, County Tax	3,929.84
Deerfield School District, 1956	21,512.47
Deerfield School District, 1957	19,671.95
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Total Payments	\$129,035.63
Cash on Hand	\$7,439.39

DETAILED STATEMENT OF PAYMENTS

TOWN OFFICERS' SALARIES

Howard P. King, Selectman	\$150.00
Carl M. Fogg, Selectman	125.00
Robert B. Sanborn, Selectman	125.00
Albert H. Burt, Town Clerk	110.00
Charles M. Copeland, Treasurer	130.00
Lola G. Johnston, Tax Collector	250.00
Robert A. Stevens, Auditor	30.00
William C. Maxwell, Auditor	30.00
Willie C. Fife, Treasurer of Trust Funds	30.00
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Total	\$980.00

TOWN OFFICERS' EXPENSES

Robert B. Sanborn, compiling town report	\$75.00
Robert B. Sanborn, 2 trips to Manchester	10.00
Robert B. Sanborn, postage	13.15
Sargent Bros., tax supplies 1956	33.30
Sargent Bros., tax supplies 1957	42.55
Howard P. King, Tax Commission meeting	10.00
Howard P. King, trip to Portsmouth on welfare	10.00
Howard P. King, trip to Dover, Highway meeting	10.00
Branham Co., book	6.00
National Register Co., repairs to adding machine	23.05
Blue Bowl, supplies	1.32
Robert A. Stevens, postage	1.60
Verna Elliot, postage	5.67
Lois Tilton, postage	5.68
Howard P. King, Tax Commission office	5.00
Robert B. Sanborn, Tax Commission office	5.00
Linnell Press, printing	3.68
Amoskeag Bank, safe deposit box	5.00

E. C. Eastman Co., supplies	9.22
True W. Chasley, mapping and listing lots, Northwood and Pleasant Lakes	225.00
Lola G. Johnston, stamps and supplies	17.00
Lola G. Johnston, transporting adding machine to Manchester for repair	2.00
Howard P. King, trip to Concord Highway and Tax Commission office	10.00
Robert B. Sanborn, trip to Concord, as above	10.00
Wheeler and Clark, supplies and rubber stamp	30.73
Brown and Saltmarsh, supplies	14.73
Asso. of N. H. Assessors, dues	3.00
Asso. of N. H. Town Clerks, dues Charles Hardy, Treasurer	3.00
Asso. of N. H. Tax Collectors, dues Ida Horner, Treasurer	3.00
Albert H. Burtt, auto permits	297.50
Albert H. Burtt, office supplies	22.14
Charles M. Copeland, expenses	30.11
Lola G. Johnston, tax sale and cost	56.70
Lola G. Johnston, expense of sale	48.30
H. P. King, postage and telephone	25.12
H. P. King, overseer of the poor	50.00
Total	<hr/> \$1,669.35

ELECTION AND REGISTRATION

Walter B. Scott, Supervisor	\$18.00
Willie C. Fife, Supervisor	18.00
Alf G. Lindahl, Supervvisor	20.00
Preston B. Wares, Moderator	15.00
Irene Gardner, Gatekeeper	10.80
Lola G. Johnston, Gatekeeper	10.80
Olive E. Roxbury, Election Officer	10.80
Genevieve S. Fogg, Election Officer	10.80

Doris C. Maxwell, Election Officer	10.80
Ruth Sanborn, Election Officer	10.80
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Total	\$135.80

BONDS

Lewin A. Stevens, Town Officer's Bonds	\$159.44
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TOWN HALL EXPENSES

N. E. Tel & Tel Co.	\$79.40
N. H. Elec Co.	39.23
Lola G. Johnston, wood and supplies	21.50
Daniel A. Tilton, sawing wood	7.00
Maynard Farr, housing wood	7.50
Timothy Scannell, housing wood	7.50
Preston Wares, repairs	14.00
Lola G. Johnston, janitor	74.70
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Total	\$250.83

FOREST FIRE AT AUSTIN' CARGILLS

The printing on the carbon copies was so indistinct only the amount paid could be used:

Amount paid fighters	\$51.95
Fire Equipment	13.50
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Total	\$65.45

FIRE AT COFFIETOWN

Amount paid Fighters	\$77.25
Fire Equipment	15.00
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Total	\$92.25

FIRE WARDEN'S SCHOOL

K. W. Nay Warden	\$5.00
Ernest F. Stevens, Jr., Deputy Warden	4.00
Use of auto, 48 miles, 2 passengers	3.84
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Total	\$12.84

POLICE DEPARTMENT

Benjamin F. Kingham, Constable	\$150.00
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TOWN LINES

Robert B. Sanborn, perambulating Candia- Deerfield Line	\$20.00
Howard P. King, perambulating Candia- Deerfield Line, use of car	27.00
Leon S. Robie, guide	10.00
T. W. Chesley, surveying Deerfield-Epsom Line	84.00
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Total	\$141.00

FIRE DEPARTMENT

Deerfield Vol. Fire Asso., Inc., appropriation	\$1,800.00
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FOREST FIRE DEPARTMENT

Kenneth Nay, Warden	\$170.54
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CIVIL DEFENSE

State of N. H., masks, protective field	\$10.00
State of N. H., Coleman stoves	4.00
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	\$14.00

INSURANCE

L. A. Stevens, grader insurance	\$69.25
Lester E. Maynard, Town Hall insurance	325.91
Carl M. Fogg, Town Hall insurance	121.20
L. A. Stevens, Town Hall insurance	18.82
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Total	\$535.18

HEALTH DEPARTMENT

Cornelius P. Short, expense of Department	\$37.50
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VITAL STATISTICS

Albert H. Burt, recording	\$23.50
Albert H. Burt, reporting to State Register	10.50
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Total	\$34.00

TOWN DUMP

Frank O. Pervere, caretaker	\$272.00
R. W. Bowden, bulldozing dump	42.50
W. T. Rollins, hauling gravel	12.00
W. E. Downs, signs	18.50
State of N. H., signs	1.50
R. B. Sanborn, erecting fence	5.00
H. P. King, erecting fence	5.00
H. P. King, expense for obtaining and posting signs	4.00
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Total	\$360.50

HIGHWAYS

State of N. H., Town Road Aid	\$963.44
Maurice R. Stevens, Highway Agent, appropriation, Summer Highways	5,500.00
Maurice R. Stevens, Highway Agent, appropriation, Winter Highways	7,700.00
Maurice R. Stevens, Duncan Fund	2,000.00

EXPENSE OF HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT

State of N. H., construction signs	\$60.30
State of N. H., pedestrian signs	12.00
Total	<hr/> \$72.30

LIBRARY

Robert O. Boehmer, insurance	\$57.45
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OLD AGE ASSISTANCE

State of N. H., Town's Share	\$3,092.10
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TOWN POOR

Exeter Clinic, aid to John A. Lewis	\$29.50
Blue Bowl, aid to Sarah Corbin	267.76
H. N. Sander, M. D., Professional Services, C. Biotteau	70.00
Charles Bailey, M. D., Professional Services, C. Biotteau	5.00
J. W. Fife, Jr., aid Louis Cate	21.59
Ai S. Welch, oil for Sarah Corbin	106.31
Robert Wilson, M. D., Professional Services, Leoan Rand	13.00
C. Whitehouse, glasses for Carolyn Rand	9.00
Margaret Rand, board Carolyn and Leoan Rand	80.00
Dover Children's Home, board Carolyn and Leoan Rand	800.00
Total	<hr/> \$1,402.16

SURPLUS COMMODITIES

George W. Hilton, Agent	\$72.62
H. P. King, distributing surplus commodities	27.00
Total	<hr/> \$99.62

MEMORIAL DAY

Hoague-Batchelder Post No. 103 A. L., John Cole, Treasurer	\$200.00
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VEASEY PARK

Whitcher Lumber Co., lumber	\$97.73
Allie Bartlett, labor	36.00
Walter B. Scott, cash paid labor	6.00
W. Winslow, Jr., labor	15.00
Milton Fogg, labor	15.00
David Hammerstrom, labor	9.00
A. H. Burt, trash barrels	2.00
Total	<hr/> \$180.73

DAMAGE AND LEGAL EXPENSES

John W. A. Green, ex. records and copying cards	\$23.20
John W. A. Green, recording tax adv.	8.00
John W. A. Green, recording tax sales	6.50
George W. Philbrick, to list of one estate	.10
Frank B. Nay, to list of two estates	.20
Total	<hr/> \$38.00

TAXES BOUGHT BY TOWN

Sale of September 30, 1957

1956 TAX

Ralph C. Brown	\$27.18
Eugene Parker Estate	33.45
Charlotte Blaisdell	9.02
Oran Collins, Sr.	19.05
Leo Elario	20.91
Carroll and Jean Garland	17.78
Marjorie Florence	83.61
Olive E. Roxbury	33.45
Marlin Green, heirs	5.88

Harry Goodstein	20.91
Wallace Kimball	96.15
Herbert Smith	5.88
Marjorie Florence	102.42
Benjamin Lord	27.10
Margaret Rand	165.12
Olive E. Roxbury	140.04
Paul Lamy	8.37
Victor Worchalik	9.66
George D. Wentworth	39.72
Total	<hr/> \$881.71

TAX ABATEMENTS AND REFUNDS

1955 HEAD AND POLL

Philip K. Lindsay, poll, veteran	\$2.00
John Jenkins, head and poll, left town	7.00
Henry Duies, head and poll, left town	7.00
Total	<hr/> \$16.00

1956 HEAD TAX

Mary L. Pendleton, out of town	\$5.00
Ernest Boyce, out of town	5.00
Leatrice Boyce, out of town	5.00
Robert Ferland, out of town	5.00
Polly Ferland, out of town	5.00
Helen Smith, out of town	5.00
Lillian P. Prescott, out of town	5.00
Richard Hammerstrom, out of town	5.00
Bessie Hammerstrom, out of town	5.00
Louise Garrion, out of town	5.00
Bert Moody, out of town	5.00
Harold B. Yeaton, exempt	5.00
John A. Lewis, deceased	5.00
Howard Mandigo, deceased	5.00
Total	<hr/> \$70.00

1956 PROPERTY TAX

George H. Robinson, taxed by error	\$10.80
Harvey Davis, veteran	60.00
John M. Cole, veteran	6.00
Leonard Baker, veteran	18.00
Leonard Baker, veteran	21.00
John Tanzella, taxed by error	30.00
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Total	\$145.80

1957 PROPERTY TAX

Leonard Burritt, total disability	\$59.50
Emily Adams, soldier's widow	59.50
Charles J. Grebinger, over valued	11.90
Irene Chauncey, over valued on trailer	29.75
Richard C. Young, over valued on trailer	59.50
Roland White, over valued on trailer	59.50
George Dallaire, camp over valued	23.80
J. C. Champignay, yield tax in part	130.83
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Total	\$434.28

Hazen Wyman, 1952 yield tax	\$58.07
Joseph E. Knox C., refund	\$29.75

WATER HOLES

Merrimack Farmers Exchange, fence and posts	\$89.49
W. T. Rollins, labor	80.82
Wm. F. Tuttle, backhoe	126.00
E. R. White, cement	25.00
Kenneth Potter, labor	3.50
Wilfred Florence, labor	11.00
George W. Stevens, labor	23.25
Deerfield Vol. Asso. Inc., balance of appropriation	40.94
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Total	\$400.00

INTEREST

Exeter Banking Co., interest on temporary loans	\$666.09
Trustees of Trust Funds, W. C. Fife, Treasurer	300.00
Total	<u>\$966.09</u>

STATE AID CONSTRUCTION

State of N. H., Town's Share	\$15,165.00
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STATE ROAD APPROPRIATION

Trustees of Trust Funds, W. C. Fife, Treasurer	\$2,000.00
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TOWN HALL FUND

Trustees of Trust Funds, W. C. Fife, Treasurer	\$1,500.00
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INDEBTEDNESS

Exeter Banking Co., payments on temporary loans	\$32,500.00
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STATE HEAD TAXES

State Treasurer, head taxes 1957	\$1,159.00
State Treasurer, head taxes previous years	422.80
Total	<u>\$1,581.80</u>

YIELD TAX

State Treasurer, yield tax 1956	\$428.93
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COUNTY TAX

Winston H. Lothrop, County Treasurer	\$3,939.84
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PAYMENTS TO SCHOOL DISTRICT

P. K. Lindsay, Treasurer, balance 1956 appropriation	\$21,512.47
P. K. Lindsay, Treasurer, 1957 appropriation in part	19,671.95
Total	<u>\$41,184.42</u>

The foregoing report of the financial affairs of the Town of Deerfield is respectfully submitted to the citizens.

HOWARD P. KING,
CARL M. FOGG,
ROBERT B. SANBORN,
Selectmen of Deerfield.

AUDITORS' CERTIFICATE

Jan. 11, 1958

This is to certify that we have examined the records of receipts and expenditures as shown for the year December 31, 1957 and find them to be in proper order and in balance.

W. C. MAXWELL,
R. W. BOWDEN,
R. H. ANDERSON,
Auditors.

REPORT OF ROAD AGENTMAURICE STEVENS, *Road Agent*

WINTER ROADS

Keith Rollins, labor	\$440.54
Paul Smith, labor	124.96
E. White, labor	63.84
L. Maynard, labor	47.88
P. Lindahl, labor	9.44
W. Cray, labor	161.66
R. Young, labor	176.33
W. Rollins, Jr., labor	93.22
P. O. Neal, labor	37.76
W. O. Neal, labor	220.66
L. Hammond, bulldozer	21.00
F. O. Neal, labor	31.86
W. Rollins, trucks-loader and plowing	3,401.58
M. Stevens, Road Agent, labor	682.00
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Total	\$5,512.73
Received from Town Winter Roads	\$7,700.00
Total Bills, labor	7,184.63
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Balance	\$515.37

WINTER BILLS

MonPal Inc., salt	\$682.60
Brown's Machine Co.	266.94
Merrimack Farmers Exchange, snow fence	101.25
Geo. Huckins, plank	7.70
Ai Welch, diesel oil	57.44
Treasurer State of N. H., tie wires	17.20
R. C. Hazelton Co.	62.03
Fremont Motor Sales	139.53

Lyman Hammond, tire, tube, grader	173.96
Maurice Stevens, 4 cans oil	34.20
Regenia Dienier, sand	37.50
Ray Road Equipment	91.55
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Total	\$1,671.90

SUMMER ROADS

Lyman Hammond, cutting bushes	\$266.00
W. Rollins, truck and labor	1,714.47
K. Rollins, labor	245.99
R. Young, labor and power saw	95.12
R. Bowden, bulldozer	35.00
W. Winslow, labor	18.88
G. Blais, labor	21.24
A. Burt, Jr., labor	8.26
E. White, labor	10.62
W. Cheney, truck and labor	24.54
R. Cheney, labor	10.62
P. Smith, labor	238.32
W. Tuttle, Jr., shovel	274.00
M. Stevens, Road Agent, labor,	919.84
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Total	\$3,882.90
Received from Town	\$5,500.00
Bills and labor	5,464.26
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Balance	\$35.74

SUMMER BILLS

James W. Fife, 2 rakes, 1 shovel	\$12.18
R. C. Hazelton Co., Inc., culverts, grader blades,	
labor and parts grader	483.37
Granite State, asphalt	216.81
Lyman Hammond, tire tube grader	147.41
Herbert Yeaton, gravel	7.50

Ai Welch, diesel oil	36.97
Regenia Dienier, sand	32.50
Merrimack Farmer, calcium chloride	42.00
H. H. McQuire & Co., asphalt	275.18
Epsom Garage, brake fluid, gas	3.90
Petrometals Products Inc.	90.00
I. C. Reed, Jr., blasting	86.50
Treasurer State of N. H., T. R. A. culvert	147.04
Total	<u>\$1,581.36</u>

DUNCAN FUND

Paul Smith, labor	\$42.48
E. White, labor	50.74
Willis Rollins, trucks and loader	322.12
Maurice Stevens, labor	61.25
H. H. McQuire & Co., Inc., asphalt	1,522.88
Total	<u>\$1,999.47</u>
Received from Town	\$2,000.00
Total spent	<u>1,999.47</u>
Balance	<u><u>\$.53</u></u>

GRADER FUND

SUMMER ROADS

Grader, 193 hours at \$3.00	\$579.00
Repairs, tires, tubes, and running expense	627.93

WINTER ROADS

Grader, 71 hours at \$3.00 hour	\$213.00
Repairs, tire, tube and running expense	248.50

T. R. A.

Maurice R. Stevens, Road Agent	\$344.08
Wm. Tuttle, Jr., shovel and truck	1,376.80
Willis Rollins, trucks	959.40
Lyman Hammond, truck and labor	370.25
Leonard Trow, truck	278.80
Walter Scott, truck	250.10
Warren Roberts, truck	168.10
Norman Stevens, truck	36.90
Keith Rollins, labor	126.35
Elwin White, labor	71.82
George Blais, labor	78.47
Paul Smith, labor	54.53
Town of Raymond, grader	177.00
Bell & Flynn, roller	211.25
Total	<hr/> \$4,503.85

GRAND SUMMARY

Funds, T. R. A., State	\$6,422.95
Funds, T. R. A., Town	963.44
Balance from last year	62.55
Total Funds	<hr/> \$7,448.94

EXPENDITURES

Labor Payrolls	\$4,503.85
Culverts	239.12
Asphalt	2,853.01
Total Spent	<hr/> \$7,595.98

GRAND SUMMARY

Received from Town, Summer Roads	\$5,500.00
Received from Town, Winter Roads	7,700.00

Received from Town, Duncan Fund	2,000.00
Balance in check book December 31, 1956	190.79
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Total	\$15,390.79

TOTAL SPENT

Summer and Winter	\$12,648.89
Duncan Fund	1,999.47
Bank charge	1.00
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Total	\$14,649.36
Balance in check book December 31, 1957	\$741.43

AUDITORS' CERTIFICATE

January 4, 1958

This is to certify that we have examined the accounts of Maurice Stevens, Road Agent, and find them to be in good order and in balance with bank statement of December 24, 1957.

W. C. MAXWELL,
R. W. BOWDEN,
R. H. ANDERSON,

Auditors.

REPORT OF THE TREASURER PHILBRICK - JAMES LIBRARY

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1957

To cash on hand from last year	\$488.94
Fidelity Fund Div. (20 Shares Stock)	282.84
Incorporated Invest., Div. (13 shares of stock)	80.04
National Invest. Co., Div. (26 shares of stock)	172.22
W. C. Fife, Int. on Philbrick Fund	91.56
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	\$1,115.60

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Paid in 1957

Huckins Oil Co.	\$131.78
Howard Johnston, Librarian	43.75
Bailey Lumber Co., material	20.86
N. H. Electric Co.	25.52
Preston B. Wares, work and cash paid	171.26
American Florist Shop	7.00
Ruth Pennell, Order Book	.55
N. H. Fire Insurance Co., Robert Boehmer	35.00
Lola Johnston, Librarian	131.25
Parents Int.	6.00
Goodman's Book Store	88.60
Holts Dept. Store, broom and mop	2.93
L. A. Stevens, Agency Insurance	15.00
Nancy Farr, mowing lawn	12.00
National Geographic Society	6.75
Amoskeag Bank, box rent	5.50
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Total	\$703.75
December 31, Cash on hand to balance	411.85
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	\$1,115.60

Statement of Philbrick-James Library Funds

Dec. 31, 1957

700 Shares of National Investment	\$6,251.00
153 Shares of Incorporated Investors	1,089.36
543 Shares of Fidelity Fund	6,260.79
Manchester Federal Savings Bank, Book No. 26444	32.23
Manchester Savings Bank, Book No. 191715	159.06

Total \$13,792.44

WALTER B. SCOTT, *Treas.***PHILBRICK-JAMES LIBRARY REPORT****For the Year Ending December 31, 1957**

Number of books in the library December 31, 1956	7712
New books added during the year	87
Total books in the library December 31, 1957	7799
Total books loaned during the year	1751
Average daily loan, library open five hours on Saturday	34.3
Number of new cards issued during the year	10
Petty cash on hand from fines	\$2.72

Deerfield, N. H., February 14, 1958.

The library would like to thank Mrs. P. K. Lindsay for Horticulture, Mrs. G. Howard for Better Homes and Gardens, and Mr. Greeley Clark for several books. Also the trustees appreciate the gift of books from the library of its late librarian, Mr. Howard Johnston.

LOLA JOHNSTON,
Librarian.

AUDITORS' REPORT

Deerfield, N. H., Jan. 4, 1958

We have examined the accounts of Walter B. Scott, Treas. of Library Trustees and find them correct and well vouched.

R. W. BOWDEN,
W. C. MAXWELL,
R. H. ANDERSON,
Auditors.

FOREST FIRE PREVENTION IS EVERYBODY'S BUSINESS

New Hampshire faces a continuing challenge in its forest fire problem — 97 percent of all our forest fires being man-caused and preventable — a serious indictment of interest in our own welfare and that of our neighbor. Both the State and the towns are striving diligently to effectively meet the challenge through education of the public to the threat fire presents to our woodlands, by maintaining a well trained corps of wardens and deputy wardens in every community and by providing ample opportunity for all who wish to dispose of unwanted waste materials. Careless and perverseness, however, continue to be the big hurdles.

Thoughtlessly discarded lighted cigars, cigarettes and matches from moving vehicles by hikers, hunters and fishermen; careless burning of debris during hazardous periods in dangerous locations, illegal burning, improperly extinguished debris, camp and cook fires — all result in serious loss of property, disruption of industry and farm work and unnecessary expenditure of town and state funds.

To meet the challenge successfully, the state, your community and your local forest fire warden need YOUR thoughtful and cooperative effort. The rules are simple:

1. Don't burn at home — use your town dump and avoid all fire problems.
2. If you do burn, be sure to secure a written permit from your local forest fire warden when the ground is not covered with snow. Permits are required for open debris fires, home incinerators, outdoor fire places and camp fires. Your warden is instructed to permit burning if weather conditions, site and type of burning are safe.

3. Be sure that all lighted materials — cigars, cigarettes and matches — are completely out before discarding them. Use ash trays in automobiles.

4. Make certain that your debris, camp and cook fires are completely out before leaving them.

5. Insist that others be careful and comply with burning requirements.

6. Call the warden promptly when fire is detected and aid him to extinguish it.

REMEMBER — the fire you prevent might be the one which could burn YOUR property.

REMEMBER FOREST FIRE PREVENTION is
EVERYBODY'S BUSINESS and our MOST
IMPORTANT UNDERTAKING

1957 Forest fire record for your town

Number of fires	2
Acreage burned	2
Number of permits issued	36

ROBERT W. SMITH,
District Fire Chief.

DEERFIELD VOLUNTEER FIRE DEPARTMENT

The following account of The Deerfield Volunteer Fire Association Inc., is made to the citizens of Deerfield in the knowledge that they are interested in the activities of the Fire Department. This account is not to be considered as a part of the accounts of the Town of Deerfield.

1957 PAYMENTS

Genevieve Fogg, supplies and record book	\$4.85
Leonard Burritt, milk	1.50
Kenneth Nay, gas, oil and etc.	77.38
Willis T. Rollins, battery and grease	18.52
Eli N. Marcotte, oil	446.73
N. E. Tel & Tel. Co., telephones	335.30
N. H. Electric Co., lights	22.64
F. C. Heselton, repairs and supplies	71.60
Lois Tilton, stamps	10.92
Charles V. Kimball, flowers	7.89
State Treasurer, insurance	147.00
Henry T. Provost, insurance	49.00
Grover Waterhouse, gas	12.75
Earl E. Morse, Jr., fire truck	2,000.00
Lewin A. Stevens, insurance	395.10
Rockingham Fire Insurance Co., insurance	27.90
The Sherwin Williams Co., ladders	67.00
George F. Clark, supplies	4.11
The Suncook Bank, note and interest	404.79
Dennis D. Curtis, fire extinguishers	1,267.95
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Total	\$5,372.93

WATER HOLES

William F. Tuttle, shovel	\$203.00
Keith Rollins, labor	12.98
Paul Smith, labor	12.98
George Stevens, labor	15.00
Dennis Stevens, labor	15.00
Willis Rollins, truck	102.30
Merrimack Farmers Exchange, wire and posts	56.43
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Total	\$417.69

HEADQUARTERS Deerfield, N. H.

CIVIL DEFENSE

December 31, 1958

All current directives issued and in effect by the Deerfield, N. H., Civil Defense are published herewith. These directives remain in effect until rescinded or amended.

All authorized members of the Deerfield Civil Defense will be provided with an identification card, an Arm Band and in some cases a Plate for their vehicle. When in possession of the identification properly displayed, their action in an Emergency or during an authorized test has the Legal backing of the Laws of the State of New Hampshire and their request should be treated accordingly. No individual has authority outside the Unit or position to which he has been appointed.

The Primary purpose of the Civil Defense of the Town of Deerfield is the welfare, the protection of life, property and the health and safety of all citizens of Deerfield in a time of EMERGENCY. Civil Defense is responsible for precautionary measures to reduce loss of life and property; to rescue wounded; to suppress fires; re-establish order; to care for refugees from within or without the town; to make emergency repairs to essential public utilities, industries, shelters and to lines of communication; to preserve the public health; and to care for the sick, wounded and disabled.

GENERAL

CONELRAD

When enemy planes operate within certain distances all AM and FM broadcasting stations except stations on 640 or 1240 wave lengths go off the air and stay off.

By agreement the red net, HObart 3-2111, will be used to receive notices of TEST and EMERGENCY ALERTS. The messages that will be received by the net will be as follows:

TEST CIVIL DEFENSE TEST YELLOW ALERT
*****ACKNOWLEDGE

or

TEST CIVIL DEFENSE TEST RED ALERT*****
ACKNOWLEDGE

or

TEST CIVIL DEFENSE WHITE ALERT*****
ACKNOWLEDGE

The person receiving the information should repeat the message to the sender and then say O. K.

IF THE WORD *TEST* IS *OMITTED* AND/OR IF THE WORD *EMERGENCY* IS USED, IT IS THE REAL THING.

The person receiving the message should note the time and then call Batchelder telephone HObart 3-2283 or Wares HObart 3-2031 and give him the message and the time received.

ALL PLANS BECOME OPERATIONAL WITH AN EMERGENCY YELLOW ALERT.

POLICY

1. General policy in regard to control and/or rationing of critical equipment, fuel, food, clothing and other items can be stated in general terms only. In order to provide the best possible guide lines the policies outlined herein will be adhered to, subject to modification as necessary depending on the extent and nature of the emergency. It is understood that these policies become effective immediately upon declaration of a Civil Defense Emergency by the Governor in case of a threatened or actual enemy attack. In case of a natural disaster of such magnitude as to require controls, they will be in effect only when specifically ordered by the Governor and to the extent then so ordered.

FOOD

1. Local stocks, that is retail grocery and other food stores. Control passes to Local Civil Defense Director, subject to general directions from the State Coordinator for food.

2. Wholesale food stocks will pass to the control of the State Coordinator for food.

3. Producer's stocks, dairy, poultry, eggs, canned goods processors and other items not included in 1 and 2 above will pass to the control of the State Coordinator for food.

NOTE: It is expected that replenishment of stocks from out of state sources will be controlled by the U. S. Department of Agriculture. It is also probable that they will take control of the items mentioned in 2 and 3, once the situation is stabilized.

FUEL

1. Gasoline, kerosene, lubricating oil, heating fuel (solid and liquid) held by retailers will pass to control of the local civil defense director subject to instructions of the State Coordinator for fuel.

2. Wholesale stocks of the above items will pass to the control of the State Coordinator for fuel.

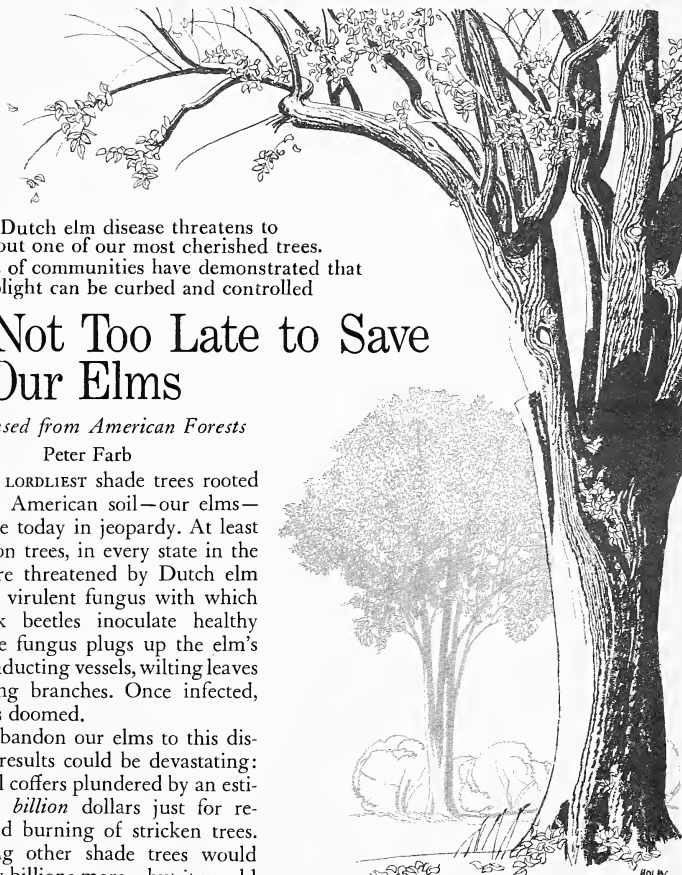
3. It is expected that replenishment will be controlled by the Federal Petroleum Administration or other designated Federal Agency.

TRANSPORTATION

1. All trucks, busses, and critical equipment such as bulldozers, low-beds, etc., will pass initially to the control of the local civil defense directors. The State Coordinators for Transportation and for Rescue and Engineering will control its employment outside the local areas.

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Dutch elm disease threatens to wipe out one of our most cherished trees. But scores of communities have demonstrated that the blight can be curbed and controlled

It's Not Too Late to Save Our Elms

Condensed from American Forests

Peter Farb

THE LORDLIEST shade trees rooted in American soil—our elms—are today in jeopardy. At least 200 million trees, in every state in the nation, are threatened by Dutch elm disease, a virulent fungus with which tiny bark beetles inoculate healthy trees. The fungus plugs up the elm's water-conducting vessels, wilting leaves and killing branches. Once infected, the tree is doomed.

If we abandon our elms to this disease, the results could be devastating: municipal coffers plundered by an estimated 15 billion dollars just for removal and burning of stricken trees. Replanting other shade trees would cost many billions more—but it would

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be folly to suppose that we could ever replace the stately elms.

The fungus, first discovered in Holland after World War I, has virtually decimated Europe's elm population. In the 24 years since it became solidly entrenched around New York City the disease has erased perhaps 40 million elms from the American landscape. It continues to take a heavy toll in at least 21 states—from Maine to Virginia and westward to Wisconsin and Missouri.

One encouraging fact, however, emerges from my recent survey of Dutch elm disease: *cities and towns in the infected area have consistently proved that control programs can save the elms.* Moreover, protection is far less costly than doing nothing—and then spending tax dollars to uproot dead trunks.

In 1945, Greenwich, Conn., one of the first American communities to be invaded by the fungus, was threatened with loss of most of its 6000 elms. Joe Dietrich, the town's energetic Superintendent of Parks, called a meeting of civic and garden club representatives and presented the facts on Dutch elm control. The wild elms growing in swamps and woodlands couldn't be saved, he said, but for little more than a dollar a year per tree the destruction of the city's valued elms could be reduced to a minimum. It would be done by going after the beetle carriers of the disease, not the disease itself: removing all dead elm wood, potential breeding material for the beetles,

and spraying the elms with an armor of DDT. "It costs the town roughly \$75 to remove a diseased tree," Dietrich told the group. "That money could be used to protect the same elm for more than 50 years. We'd have a living tree, not a dead stump."

The clubs petitioned the Board of Estimate and money was promptly appropriated. The local radio station and newspaper gave periodic bulletins about progress of the fight; an exhibit explaining the control program went up in the public library. Connecticut Light & Power Co. sent out news items with its monthly bills. Neighborhood groups pooled their dollars for coordinated campaigns on privately owned elms.

In the last ten years the annual loss of elms in Greenwich has dropped from 186 to little more than 30, and Dutch elm disease control is now just "routine maintenance" there.

Other towns and cities have had equal success. Greenfield, Mass., which has nearly one elm for each inhabitant, has kept the rate of afflicted trees to a negligible two tenths of one percent a year. The whole town is alerted to the threat and the tree warden receives about 1400 phone calls annually from citizens reporting suspicious elms. In Brookline, Mass., while neighboring communities show double and triple the loss of previous years, the percentage of elms lost is no worse than that of maples or other shade trees. "If we were to let our elms go because of neglect it would cost our

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taxpayers well over a million dollars for removal alone," Daniel Warren, Superintendent of Parks, told me, "to say nothing of the decline in real estate values, loss of civic beauty beyond price. When you save elms, you save dollars."

Can every community afford to maintain a control program? *They can't afford not to.* Witness what happened in the village of Bexley, a suburb of Columbus, Ohio, which abandoned its elms to Dutch elm disease. I drove through Bexley's broad boulevards and park areas—almost completely denuded of elms, only long rows of great decapitated trunks remaining. The village has already spent nearly \$100,000 for removal plus more than \$25,000 for planting saplings. And Urbana and Champaign, Ill., have spent some \$200,000 in the last five years to remove trees stricken by the fungus. "Inertia and penny-pinching can sacrifice our elms—and invite an economic problem perhaps a hundred times the cost of control measures," says Dr. Howard C. Miller, the Dutch elm expert at the State University College of Forestry, Syracuse, N. Y.

To finance a control program, Buffalo, N. Y., floated "tree bonds," in the same way they finance other municipal improvement projects. In Freeport, Ill., voters approved an "insurance policy" on their elms: a five-mill tax on each \$100 assessed valuation—for control measures before the disease strikes. Often civic groups can take the lead. In Sycamore, Ill., the local Chamber of Commerce acted as clearinghouse for homeowners who wanted their trees protected by spraying. Done on a large scale, the spraying was more effective—and the cost to individuals was reduced by about two thirds. Now the city is administering the control program, including the hiring of a professional forester.

Early detection of a diseased tree is vital to protect the healthy ones nearby. In Wheaton, Ill., the city was divided into 29 "tree protection districts" and the elms in each were put under the surveillance of one of the 29 cooperating civic organizations. In the Greenbrier Hills subdivision of Kirkwood, Mo., garden club members plastered every diseased tree with giant crosses of yellow paint. When land-owners saw the 250 marked elms, they awakened to the threat and started doing something about removal.

Even if your community has been afflicted for years, it is not too late to start a control program. In Alford, Mass., which found its first diseased tree in 1941 and by 1950 was losing nearly 300 elms a year, the state and Berkshire County commissioners worked out a joint program. Within two years, the annual rate of loss had been cut to 80 trees.

Once started, a control program must be sustained. Compare Amherst and Easthampton, Mass., only ten miles apart. Amherst continued to protect its elms; Easthampton made a good effort, then neglected the problem for two years. While

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Amherst's rate of diseased trees decreased to under one percent, Easthampton within two years saw its loss jump from no trees to 11 percent of the elm population! So instead of spending just \$1650 a year for control, Easthampton had to increase its outlay to \$11,750.

Should we continue to plant more elms? "Definitely," says Dr. Albert E. Dimond, chief plant pathologist at the Connecticut Agricultural Experiment Station in New Haven. "The disease won't make the elm extinct, but man will if he doesn't continue to plant the tree." Greenwich, Conn., for example, sets out more new elms each year than it loses from the disease. Nearly 500 have been planted and but one has been attacked by the fungus.

Science, too, has been working to find species resistant to the disease. Already available at commercial nurseries is a highly resistant tree—the Christine Buisman elm—the result of 16 years of experiments in Holland. And in the United States an intensive search is now under way among our native elms for trees

that have resistant characteristics.

Chemotherapy—putting chemicals to work to fight the disease *inside* the tree—is also being tried, and at least 200 compounds have been tested since 1940 at the Connecticut and Rhode Island agricultural experiment stations. A number of these compounds have worked experimentally, but they are expensive, of short duration and impractical for large-scale use. It does appear, though, that we are on the threshold of a major discovery in fighting the Dutch elm fungus. "Chemotherapy is an excellent possibility, but we just don't have all the answers as yet," I was told by Roger U. Swingle, pathologist in USDA's Ornamental Plants Branch at Columbus, Ohio.

It is not too late to save the elm, a tree so deeply rooted in the American landscape as to be an actual part of the architecture of thousands of our towns and cities. For its many esthetic benefits—and for hard-headed municipal economy alone—you couldn't do better than to start a Dutch elm control program in your community.

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CLOTHING, BLANKETS, BEDDING

1. Local retail stocks of clothing, blankets, bedding, etc., will pass to the control of the local civil defense directors subject to instructions of the State Coordinator for Welfare and Refugee services.

HEADQUARTERS Deerfield Civil Defense

December 31, 1957

General Order No. 1

1. General Order No. 1 dated July 1, 1956 and General Order No. 2 dated July 10, 1956 are rescinded.

2. Headquarters Deerfield, N. H., Civil Defense is established at the Deerfield Town Hall. Hours of operation will be as required. Upon the declaration of an emergency this Headquarters will be operational 24 hours a day.

3. The Civil Defense Organization of Deerfield, N. H., is established as:

DIRECTORS

DIRECTOR'S STAFF

Ration Officer — Finance Officer

Chaplain — Legal Officer

GENERAL STAFF (COORDINATES)

Personnel — Operations—Plans

Health — Supply—Evacuation

Deputy Director (Military Liaison)

Asst. Deputy Directors

Asst. Director

Adjutant

Administrative Section

Mail and Records

Liaison

Bordering Towns

State Police

Forest Service

Red Cross

OPERATIONAL DEFENSE UNITS

- Ground Observer
- Police Wardens
- Communications Warning
- Fire Rescue Search
 - Burial
- Refugee Center Operation
 - Assignment Housing
 - Welfare
 - Counselling
 - Feeding (Center Only)
- Health
 - Medical Section
 - Hospital Section
 - Nursing Section
 - Sanitation Section
 - First Aid Section
 - Radiology Section
 - Bacteriology Section
- Education
- Transportation
 - Courier Service
- Engineering
 - Highways
 - Bridges
 - Demolition
- Supply
 - Food Section
 - Clothing Section
 - Fuel Section
 - Wood Sub Section
 - Coal Sub Section
 - Gas Sub Section
 - Oil Sub Section
 - Gasoline Sub Section

Housing Section
 Equipment Section
 Electricity Section

ROLAND C. BATCHELDER,
Director, Deerfield Civil Defense,
 Deerfield, N. H.

OFFICIAL
 S/L. W. Muller
 L. W. MULLER,
Asst. Adj.

December 31, 1957

Special Order
 Number 5

1. Special orders Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, and 1, 5, and 7 are rescinded.

2. The following assignments in accordance with the Deerfield Civil Defense Organization as published in Paragraph 3 General Order No. 3, dated December 31, 1957.

Directors Staff

Deputy Director Preston B. Wares
 Assistant Deputy Director Russell Bowden
 Assistant Director Robert Stevens
 Administration Section Mrs. Lucy W. Muller
 Ration Officer Lester Maynard
 Finance Officer William Maxwell
 Assistant Finance Officer Mrs. Doris Maxwell
 Legal Officer Stanley Mieczko
 Chaplain Rev. Thomas Kidd
 Military Liaison Preston B. Wares

General Staff

Personnel Edith Griffin
 Supply and Evacuation Charles Richardson
 Health Alf Lindahl

Operational Units

Ground Observer Chief Mrs. Doris Anderson
 Fire and Rescue and Search Chief Willis Rollins
 Police and Wardens Chief John M. Coles
 Assistant Chief B. T. Kingham
 Chief Warden Lois Tilton
 Members of Police Unit John Stewart
 Communication and Warning Chief Paul O'Neal
 Assistant Chief Lewis Smith
 Transportation Chief G. Robert Muller
 Assistant Chief Robert Farr
 Courier Service Grace Wares, Nettie Farr
 Refugee Center Chief Preston B. Wares
 Assistant Chief Wadsworth Winslow
 Housing Assignment Section Chief Rev. Thomas Kidd
 Welfare Section Chief Mrs. Thomas Kidd
 Assistant Chief Alice Smith
 Member of Refugee Center Unit Mrs. Irene Shores,
 Mrs. Grace Wares, Mrs. Marion Stewart, Mrs. Helena
 Short, Mrs. Florence Billings, Mr. George Blais, Mr.
 James Crummey, Mr. George Dunn
 Education Unit Chief Alan W. Furber
 Assistant Chief Charles Griffin
 Engineering Unit Chief Maurice Stevens
 Supply Unit Chief Charles Richardson
 Assistants James Fife, Kenneth Nay, George
 Densmore, Carrie Densmore
 Chief Electricity Section James O'Neal
 Chief Equipment Section Charles Copeland
 Health Unit Chief Alf Lindahl
 Nursing Section Chief Mrs. Alice Smith

3. Each of the above named individuals is responsible for planning for the operation of his section or unit and is authorized in the event of an emergency officially declared by the proper State officer, to take such action as is necessary to accomplish his or her mission.

4. During Civil Defense Tests all members of the Deerfield Civil Defense organizations are empowered only to take such action as the test directive authorizes when properly identified by the Armbands.

5. In the absence of the Director, the Deputy Director, the Assistant Deputy Director and/or the Assistant Director have all of the powers, authority, responsibility and duties vested in the Director.

R. C. BATCHELDER,
Director.

Official
S/L. W. Muller
L. W. MULLER,
Ass't Adjutant.

IMPORTANT

BEFORE READING THE OPERATIONAL ORDER BELOW, IT IS IMPORTANT THAT YOU UNDERSTAND ITS MEANING AND USE. THIS ORDER IS PREPARED IN ADVANCE OF ITS ACTUAL USE. IT WILL NOT BE IN EFFECT UNTIL AND UNLESS AN EMERGENCY IS DECLARED BY THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES OR THE GOVERNOR OF NEW HAMPSHIRE IN THE EVENT OF AN ENEMY ATTACK OR DECLARATION OF WAR.

This is an initial plan and will give us a starting point which will be changed as required by the situation.

1. An Emergency having been declared, the Deerfield CIVIL DEFENSE assumes control of the Town of Deerfield, New Hampshire, as authorized by Federal and State Laws.

2. All Deerfield Civil Defense General and Specific Orders heretofore published remain in effect until changed.

3. All members of the Deerfield Civil Defense assume their duties and responsibilities and report to their stations.

4. The Deerfield Civil Defense Headquarters is moved to the George B. White School.

A. Unit Headquarters are established as follows:

1. Refugee Center Headquarters at Town Hall
2. Fire Rescue and Search Headquarters at Fire House
3. Police and Warden Headquarters at the Fire House
4. Engineering Headquarters in Fire House.
5. Transportation Headquarters in the vicinity of and adjacent to the P. K. Lindsay Company
6. Health Unit Headquarters at the Town Library
7. Legal Office, Finance Office, Education Unit are at the George B. White School
8. Ration Headquarters at the Grange Hall, Deerfield Center
9. Hospital—Nursing sections are at the George B. White School.
10. Supply Unit Headquarters are at the Odd Fellows Hall
11. Communication and Warning Unit are at the George B. White School.

5. Chiefs of Units assume Command of their Units and take such action as is necessary for the health and safety of the people and property of the citizens of the Town of Deerfield. Reports of actions taken will be submitted to Headquarters daily.

6. Volunteers not presently members of the Civil De-

fense Unit are urged to report to the headquarters for the purpose of being sworn in an assigned.

7. All stores, gas, gasoline and oil stations are closed. No further sales will be made without the approval in writing of the Ration Officer. Storekeepers will inventory their stocks and report them to the Ration Officer, as expeditiously as possible.

8. All individuals requiring items from stores, etc., will contact the ration officer and justify their need. The ration officer will approve in writing the items and the amounts for purchase, taking into consideration the needs of the individual, the total needs of the citizens of the Town and the amount of stocks on hand.

9. Storekeepers will notify the ration officer of all replenishment merchandise received subsequent to their inventory.

10. The above ration rules will be modified upon the receipt of Federal or State Rationing Systems. Pending Federal or State Rationing, no sales of merchandise is authorized to non residents of Deerfield except by specific approval in writing from this headquarters.

11. Civil Defense Police will establish Road Blocks on all roads entering Deerfield. All unauthorized individuals will be given the choice of turning back at that point or being escorted through the town by convoy to the town of their choice. Individuals or groups of outsiders will not be allowed to run around loose within the town. All properly identified refugees will be escorted to the Refugee Center at the Town Hall.

12. All unoccupied trailers suitable for housing will be moved to the vicinity of the Town Hall by the Transportation Officer for location as directed by the Commanding Officer of the Refugee Center.

13. The Transportation Officer is authorized to requisition any or all vehicles within the limits of the Town.

14. Travel within the Town will be restricted to authorized vehicles only. Authorizations for travel within the town will be given by this headquarters only when properly justified and approved by the transportation officer.

15. The Transportation Officer will organize and schedule

- a. Courier routes to deliver messages thruout the town
- b. Delivery routes to assure the transportation of supplies to its residents.
- c. Bus routes to transport individuals to their work where practical.
- d. Such other transportation as he may deem necessary.

16. The Deerfield School will be closed as such. If in session, pupils will be transported to their homes and await further instructions. Plans for the education of the pupils will be developed and published as Annex A. to this order.

17. Wardens as appointed are agents of the Police Section of this Headquarters and may be called on to obtain advice or request for assistance within the area which they represent.

18. First Aid Stations are established in the homes of individuals so designated.

19. All outside wells within the Town will be covered with a protective blanket or cover as near air tight as possible to prevent contamination of the water therein by radio active fallout or bacterial contamination.

20. Conelrad 640 and/or 1240 on your radio will give official instructions and information. Because of the system of operation the reception my be spasmodic, first loud, then soft, etc. Care should be taken to get the complete informa-

tion before jumping to conclusions since a part of a sentence only may be heard clearly.

21. Purchase or requisitions made by members of the Deerfield Civil Defense will be approved by the Chief of the Unit or Section making them. Purchases if practicable will bear the Approval of the Finance Officer. All purchases or requisitions must be made in three copies; one copy to the vendor, one copy to the finance officer and one copy for the Unit or Section files. All copies should bear the signature of the authorizing officer.

22. Taxpayers of the Town of Deerfield who maintain homes used seasonally within the Town will be allowed to occupy them providing they agree to abide by rules and regulations as established within the town. Permits for travel to these homes after the establishments of the road blocks may be obtained at the road block. Receipted current property tax bill will be used as identification for passage. Report will be made to this headquarters of all such actions by the road block commander daily.

23. The Health Officer will immediately check the possibility of contamination of lakes and streams and make recommendations as to the necessity for establishing prohibitions for their use.

24. The Ground Observation Post will be moved to the top of Saddleback Mountain, the Transportation Officer will provide transportation for the use of this unit to support them. The Supply officer will provide food and other needed items for this purpose. The former Radio Station will be requisitioned for this purpose. The communications officer will be responsible for establishing communications with the Ground Observer Post.

25. A Mortuary if required will be established by the Rescue Unit at the Grange Hall. Burial if required will be by the Rescue Unit. All graves will be recorded by location,

both this and the identity of the Dead will be reported to the Personnel Section at the Refugee Center. The Dead will be buried in the Morrison Cemetery.

26. Headquarters of the Personnel Section will be established at the Refugee Center.

27. The registering of refugees, maintaining reports of all accidents, sickness and deaths is the responsibility of the Personnel Section. A daily report of these cases will be made to the Personnel Section by any other unit involved therein.

28. It is anticipated that the telephone system within the Town will remain in operation. Use of the telephone lines should be limited to emergencies and actual needs.

29. *Perishables.* Any citizen of Deerfield selling perishables such as milk, butter, eggs, etc., will be assisted to the utmost to dispose of his produce. Initially the amounts available will be reported to the Commanding Officer of the Refugee Center. Citizens of the Town normally being supplied with these items will continue to be supplied the amounts that they have received in the past. No additional supply will be made to these individuals without the approval of the Ration Officer. The Commanding Officer of the Refugee Center will inform the Ration Officer of amounts available. If a requirement exists within the town for amounts in excess of amounts available, the Ration Officer will prescribe an individual allowance per person per day and distribution be made by the Camp Commander of that item thru the Transportation Delivery System. Payment for items used in the Refugee Center will be as prescribed by current regulation. Payment for distribution to individuals will be made by the individual or if arrangements are made previously by the Welfare Section of the Personnel Unit.

30. Non denominational religious services will be established and maintained as directed by the Personnel and Welfare Unit.

31. Time to be used will always be designated as Eastern Standard time or Eastern Daylight time. The unit of measure will be the twenty-four hour system, for example one o'clock in the afternoon will be 1300, two o'clock as 1400, ten o'clock as 2200, etc.

32. All firearms and ammunition owned by citizens of the Town will be registered with the Chief of Police.

33. The Chief of Police will prescribe regulations for the use of, or requisition all firearms and ammunition as may be required for the situation.

34. Any Chief of Section may temporarily swear in assistants using the prescribed oath. Reports of such swearing in will be made daily and this headquarters will regularize these actions.

35. Maps. Pending the establishment of other maps as official, the Department of Interior, U. S. Geological Survey Maps of New Hampshire Suncook Quadrangle and Mt. Pawtuckaway Quadrangle will be used.

36. Annexes. Annexes will be provided at a later date to supplement this operational order.

Annex A. Will cover Schools

Annex B. Will cover Health

Annex C. Will cover Supply

Annex D. Will cover Communication.

CAUTION: The above is not in effect until signed and dated. This order will be signed and dated and in effect immediately upon the receipt of notification of an attack on the United States or a Declaration of War.

END OPERATIONAL ORDERS

Report of the Trust Funds of the Town of Deerfield, N. H., on December 31, 1957

FUND	Incorporated Stock Investors	Div. from Stock, 1957	Amount in Bank, January, 1957	Interest, 1957	PAID TO	Balance Dec. 31, 1957
Florence M. Boody	Manchester Savings				W. C. Fife, labor	\$18.25
Moses Gordon	Mechanics Savings	\$125.09	\$4.90	\$15.81	Geo. W. Danforth	20.96
Thomas W. Witham	Mechanics Savings	125.09	4.90	19.06	.....	232.21
Enoch F. Stevens	Mechanics Savings	125.09	4.90	7.14	W. C. Fife	17.20
Ezra A. Sawyer	Mechanics Savings	574.38	22.45	15.80	W. C. Fife	145.53
Marthin W. Childs	Mechanics Savings	125.09	4.90	124.14	Geo. W. Danforth	118.99
Shuah H. Sanborn	Mechanics Savings	375.06	14.67	114.36	W. C. Fife	98.43
Fellows	Mechanics Savings	375.06	14.67	85.07	W. C. Fife	820.97
Marston	Mechanics Savings	375.06	14.67	801.05	W. C. Fife	58.18
Dearborn	Amoskeag Savings	375.06	10.70	47.05	W. C. Fife	493.82
James A. Jenkins	Amoskeag Savings	125.09	4.90	18.53	W. C. Fife	15.95
Edith Towle Brown	Amoskeag Savings	125.09	4.90	49.40	Charles Mack	55.98
Haynes	Amoskeag Savings	31.45	1.26	12.37	.....	14.04
Annie L. Ladd	Amoskeag Savings	249.99	9.77	195.82	Frank Pervere	207.73
Eastman	Amoskeag Savings	249.99	9.77	32.14	Walter B. Scott	38.99
Stearns	Amoskeag Savings	49.76	1.91	77.74	Charles Mack	31.39
Lyford	Amoskeag Savings	132.55	5.19	102.26	Geo. W. Danforth	106.91
John W. Sanborn	Amoskeag Savings	530.97	20.71	217.24	J. M. Merrill	237.83
Joseph W. Sanborn	Amoskeag Savings	249.99	9.77	186.26	W. C. Fife	196.36
John W. Blaisdell	Amoskeag Savings	62.46	2.44	5.06	.....	5.97
George E. Malloon	Amoskeag Savings	49.76	1.91	8.06	Geo. W. Danforth	8.74
Stuart L. James	Amoskeag Savings	125.09	4.90	66.21	W. C. Fife	70.85
Charles E. Tilton	Amoskeag Savings	375.06	14.67	49.51	V. E. Houghton	58.86
Charles E. Tilton	Amoskeag Savings	375.06	14.67	258.49	W. C. Fife	275.94
Ives E. B. Batchelder	Amoskeag Savings	125.09	4.90	74.02	.....	81.43
Mary E. B. Merrill	Amoskeag Savings	62.46	2.43	9.88	W. C. Fife	11.14
Samuel C. Collins	Amoskeag Savings	1,093.79	42.75	18.56	Charles Copeland	19.17
Free Will Baptist	Amoskeag Savings				.....
Philbrick, No. 1	Amoskeag Savings	1,502.72	58.75	.....	Frank Pervere	4.50
.....	.....				W. B. Scott	36.17
.....	.....				P. K. Lindsay	18.08
Town Hall Fund	Suncook Bank	2,125.11	83.08	35.54	.....	1,500.00
Philbrick, No. 2	Suncook Bank			1.13	W. B. Scott	36.67
.....	.....				P. K. Lindsay	27.69

Report of the Trust Funds of the Town of Deerfield, N. H., on December 31, 1957

FUND	Incorporated Investors Stock	Div. from Stock, 1957	Amount in Bank, January, 1957	Interest, 1957	PAID TO		Balance Dec. 31, 1957
James Prescott	Suncook Bank	125.09	11.42	.25	Charles Mack	5.00	11.57
Maude Fiffeld	Federal Savings	.....	215.32	7.59	R. Mandigo	3.00	219.91
Henry J. and Lillian M Prescott	Suncook Bank	.....	208.63	6.79	Charles Mack	8.00	207.42
James H. Whidden	Suncook Bank	.....	520.26	16.98	Charles Mack	10.00	527.24
Edward Fogg	Suncook Bank	.....	4,609.22	149.80	Geo. W. Danforth	149.80	4,602.22
U. G. Smith	Suncook Bank	.....	91.50	5.24	.....	.....	96.74
Progressive Grange	Suncook Bank	.....	500.00	16.25	.....	.....	516.25
Mountain Ave. Road Fund,	Suncook Bank	Principal of \$15,165.00 was Paid Charles Copeland	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
		Interest of \$1,309.90 Transferred to Grader Fund	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Grader Fund No. 2	Suncook Bank	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,309.90
Grader Fund No. 1	Federal Savings	.....	577.32	20.37	.....	.....	597.69
Mountain Ave. Road Fund,	Suncook Bank	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2,000.00
No. 2	Suncook Bank	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Trust Fund, Principal	Suncook Bank	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	38.44
Acct.		.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Jenness Fund		Town Note	.....	5,000.00	.....	.....	.....
		Rec'd of Selectmen, interest	.....	300.00	.....	.....	.....
		Paid P. K. Lindsay	.....	300.00	.....	.....	.....

The above is a true account of Trust Funds held by us on December 31, 1957 to the best of our knowledge and belief.

WILLIE C. FIFE,
LESTER E. MAYNARD,
WALTER B. SCOTT,
Trustees.

This is to certify that we have examined the accounts of the Trustees of Trust Funds and find them correct and properly vouched.

R. W. BOWDEN,
W. C. MAXWELL,
R. H. ANDERSON,
Auditors.

**ANNUAL REPORT OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT
OF DEERFIELD, N. H.**

For the Year Ending June 30, 1957

OFFICER OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT

January 1, 1958

Moderator

E. BANFIELD HERSEY*

Clerk

RUTH S. SANBORN

Treasurer

P. K. LINDSAY

School Board

RUTH B. PENNELL	Term expires 1958
WADSWORTH WINSLOW, JR.	Term expires 1960
CORNELIUS P. SHORT	Term expires 1958

Superintendent of Schools

MURRAY H. WATSON

Auditor

WILLIAM C. MAXWELL

School Nurse

RUTH DEARBORN, R. N.

Truant Officer

ERNEST F. STEVENS, JR.

*Deceased

Enumerator

CHARLES F. GRIFFIN

Teachers

CHARLES F. GRIFFIN	7th and 8th Grades
CLEOPATRA KAMVERIS	5th and 6th Grades
CONSTANCE SMITH	3rd and 4th Grades
RAMONA STEVENS	1st and 2nd Grades

CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that the information contained in this report was taken from official records and is complete and correct to the best of our knowledge and belief. The accounts are kept in accordance with Chapter 82, Section 24 of the Revised Laws of New Hampshire 1942, and upon forms prescribed by the State Tax Commission.

RUTH B. PENNELL,
WADSWORTH WINSLOW, JR.
CORNELIUS P. SHORT,
School Board.

MURRAY H. WATSON,
Superintendent of Schools.

Deerfield, N. H., January 1, 1958.

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE
SCHOOL WARRANT

To the Inhabitants of the School District in the Town of Deerfield, New Hampshire, qualified to vote in district affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall in said district on the 8th day of March, 1958, at 1:00 o'clock in the afternoon, to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose a Moderator for the coming year.
2. To choose a Clerk for the ensuing year.
3. To choose two Members of the School Board for the ensuing two years.
4. To choose a Member of the School Board for the ensuing three years.
5. To choose a Treasurer for the ensuing year.
6. To determine and appoint the salaries of the School Board and Truant Officer, and fix the compensation of any other officers or agent of the district.
7. To hear the reports of Agents, Auditors, Committees, or Officers chosen, and pass any vote relating thereto.
8. To choose Agents, Auditors and Committees in relation to any subject embraced in this warrant.
9. To see if the district will vote to make any alteration in the amount of money required to be assessed for the ensuing year for the support of public schools and the payment of statutory obligations of the district as determined by the school board in its annual report, presented to the Advisory Budget Committee, and approved by them.

10. To see if the School District will adopt as its school check list the town check list, as provided in R. S. A. 197: 12a, as inserted in the by-laws of 1957, chap. 57; this provision to be effective for the 1959 and subsequent annual district meetings.

11. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$3,500.00 to add a fifth teacher to the staff of the George B. White School.

12. To transact any other business which may legally come before this meeting.

RUTH B. PENNELL,
WADSWORTH WINSLOW, JR.
CORNELIUS P. SHORT,
School Board.

Unless otherwise voted by the district, the articles in the warrant will be taken up at 2:00 P. M., with the exception of the election of officers, which will start at 1:00 P. M., as stated.

ANNUAL REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

February 1, 1958

To the School Board of Deerfield, New Hampshire:

For your consideration and study, may I present my eleventh annual report of the educational status of the district and at the same time express my thanks and appreciation for your desire to make the George B. White School a place where all the children of all the people of the district may grow and develop according to his own individual capacities and abilities.

At the close of the school year in June 1957, three of your teachers left the system, but after spending nearly all summer hunting for replacements and with considerable luck, we were able to complete the staff before school opened in September. Mr. Griffin was the sole returning teacher. In this we were fortunate not only because of his experience as a teacher, but also because the continuity of the school was maintained. He was continued in Grades 7-8. Mrs. Cleo Kamveris, a woman of five or more years of experience in the public schools of Detroit, Michigan, and a graduate of Wayne University, was elected to replace Mr. Charles Thorne in Grades 5-6 just a short time before school opened. Miss Constance Johnson, a Manchester girl and a graduate of Plymouth Teachers College with a year's experience in this part of the state came to teach in Grades 3-4 in the position held by Miss Joan Converse. Mrs. Ramona Stevens of Raymond and Epping with three or four years experience and a graduate of Keene Teachers College replaced Mrs. Stevenson in Grades 1-2. Mrs. Reed was continued as the music teacher until about a month ago when she became sick and the question of her return is indefinite.

Probably the greatest sorrow which was sustained in relation to the school was the passing of Miss Margaret E. Cronin, R. N. She had been the school nurse for a long time, in fact, in all probability you will find she was the first school

nurse in the district in combination with Raymond, Candia, and Deerfield. She was warm-hearted, sincere, and well-received wherever her work beckoned; surely a loss to the school and community.

It was necessary to elect, therefore, a new school nurse to take her place. This was done shortly after school opened in the person of Mrs. Ruth Dearborn, R. N., of Chester, New Hampshire. She has become the nurse also in Candia at the Moore School.

There have been changes made in the School Board since the last report. The present board includes Mrs. Ruth B. Pennell, Mr. Cornelius P. Short who recently replaced Mr. Ralph Chase; and Mr. Wadsworth Winslow, Jr. Both Mrs. Pennell and Mr. Short will be up for election at the School District meeting in March 1958.

With the cost of education increasing each year, especially in the two largest items in the budget — tuition and teachers' salaries — we must again face a situation which seems almost endless and yet if your children are to be educated to meet the modern problems which will confront them at every turn, this increasing cost must be met.

The tuition cost for this year will run well over the budget. There are two or three important factors which have caused this deficit. First is the increased cost of tuitions which were set after the budget was set up and voted; secondly, the number of students attending the secondary schools was much greater than anticipated; and thirdly, the new Foster Child Law which can really change the situation without any notice whatsoever.

Coe-Brown's tuition rate will jump from \$354 to \$367 per pupil for next year because this Academy charges the state average; Manchester's tuition for this year is \$371.23 (State average plus a 2% rental charge of \$17.23). The tuition has not been set for 1958-1959, but in talking with the Superintendents I was told that the recommendation had been made to charge the state average (\$367.00) plus a 2% rental charge on the capital investment of about \$17.00 which would give

an approximate total tuition cost per pupil of close to \$384.00, about \$10 more per pupil than this year; Pembroke Academy's rate has been set at \$330, \$30 more than this year; Raymond's tuition had not been changed when this report is being written — the rate is \$300.00; Concord's tuition rate will be \$375 next year, \$15 above the rate this year.

The number of students attending the secondary schools next year will be increased at least six. To date we have 36 students attending high school and the record shows that there will be at least 42 attending.

A year ago we made no provision in the budget for the Foster Child Law because it was still in the experimental stage. This law means the tuition of children whose original home or domicile was Deerfield and who had been placed in various homes around the state — called foster homes — had to be paid by the school district of Deerfield, elementary or secondary. It so happened that Deerfield has to pay out a total of \$1,366.30 for these children, but fortunately we also collected our fair share for those children whose original home was elsewhere and who were attending either the White School or some secondary school from Deerfield.

The item of teachers' salaries is becoming more acute with each year. We were told at a State School Boards Association meeting this last fall that if we thought teachers were hard to get for this present school year, to wait until next year and the next five years. This problem has been and is being caused by the increasing costs to the teacher and the competition involved with the surrounding cities and towns. According to data received from the State Department of Education, there will be more than 500 vacancies in teaching positions in the State for next year with about 150 qualified teachers to fill them. In checking over the needs for this Union, taking into consideration both replacements and added new teachers, the least number required to fill the jobs will be twenty-five. Is it any wonder that this situation coupled with the fact that teachers are leaving the state for more lucrative positions will make this problem even more acute

this summer. What would you suggest doing if school opens in the fall with only half the needed teachers ready for business?

Certain recommendations made a year ago have been completed although the greater part of the cost was met through subscriptions. The "hot top" was placed at the rear of the building to protect both the grounds and the inside of the building; a new ceiling was installed along with a new tiled floor in the kitchen; a new incinerator was built so that for the first time we have a real receptacle for disposing of paper and other similar materials outside the building without risk of fire; and some of the locks on the doors of the building were replaced and repaired. The jobs were needed and well done. For the coming year it is recommended that a start should be made at installing acoustical tile on the ceilings of the upper and lower halls. If the upper hall could be completed this next year and the lower hall the following year, the expense would be small, but the results would be gratifying and worthwhile especially to the boys and girls of the school.

If you will consult the report of a year ago you will find that your attention was called to the fact that in the very near future some provision must be made for expansion.

Sometimes parents and other citizens of the town are not too familiar with the general organization of the school. This refers to enrollments and floor space especially upon which expansion is based. Therefore, this is probably a good time to make some report of the number of children in the school, the manner in which these children are being assimilated, and the possible conclusions which can be drawn because of this procedure.

To January 29, 1958 there have been 144 registered pupils in the school, 11 of whom have left, leaving the present enrollment of 133. These pupils are divided into the traditional grades with 26 pupils in Grade 1; 23 in Grade 2; 10 in Grade 3; 9 in Grade 4; 18 in Grade 5; 15 in Grade 6; 17 in Grade 7; and 15 in Grade 8. These pupils are enrolled as follows:—

Mrs. Stevens has 33, Miss Johnson has 32, Mrs. Kamveris has 30, and Mr. Griffin has 38. Theoretically, as you know, each teacher is assigned two grades; Mrs. Stevens 1-2, Miss Johnson 3-4, Mrs. Kamveris 5-6, and Mr. Griffin 7-8. But in actual practice this does not work that way because if a grade line was drawn sharply, Mrs. Stevens would have 49 pupils, Miss Johnson 19 pupils, Mrs. Kamveris 33 pupils, and Mr. Griffin 32 pupils.

Therefore, in order to equalize the load which must be done in the primary grades, we have arranged and assigned the children so that each teacher would have approximately the same number of children although this could not be done in all cases. This does not mean that any child has been retarded or accelerated from grade to grade. It does mean that the children have been divided because of the numbers and placed in the various rooms so as to meet their abilities and capacities to learn, to grow, and produce in an environment which best fits the individual child. The obvious reason, of course, is to reduce over-crowding in one or two rooms for both teachers and pupils.

The present set-up now shows that with the exception of the primary group, each teacher has children from three grades and about the same number of children in each room. We feel that it is working for the best interests of the children involved.

This procedure is considered good education as has been proved from the findings and research in child growth. Teachers are now being trained more intensively in the colleges to teach individuals. For this reason it is recommended by the men and women in this business of education that in many groups the number of children should be reduced in size (20 to 25) especially in the primary and intermediate years. This not only gives the teacher the opportunity for more intensive planning, but also increases the floor space for pupil activity, a vital factor in the educational growth of all children. This also points out the fact that school rooms are being built larger — from just over 800 square feet to

over 900 square feet, and it emphasizes the reason for movable furniture and other modern equipment.

Whether you agree with what has been done or not is your privilege, but in organizing and developing such procedure particular attention was given to each individual child and his right to be taught according to his capacity to learn.

As the situation presents itself today, it has been recommended that a remedial reading teacher should be engaged on a full-time or part-time basis (if one can be found) who would work and aid those children who need it. This procedure is frowned upon in some places because it is believed that this job belongs to the classroom teacher. I am inclined to agree with this last statement, but I would go further and modify it by saying that under our present situation with large classes and the range of the children therein, remedial teaching is practically impossible although attempts are being made daily to overcome any deficiency which arises. With the hue and cry today on the teaching of science and mathematics for the gifted child, is it any wonder that a teacher with a group of children between 30 and 40 is looking for a position with fewer pupils that will pay more money?

However, other towns and districts are having the same troubles and the same problems. Some of them are trying to solve them with new schools and better teachers. Some of them are still in the process of study. Some of them, through no fault of their own, are taking what they can get, hoping for the best. And some are doing nothing about it. This is life. I do believe, however, that regardless of personal feelings that Deerfield wants the best schools money can buy and the present school board has given every evidence of that desire.

Again, may I thank the members of the board for their kindness in working in harmony with me; and the principal and teachers of the school as well as the other personnel.

Respectfully submitted,

MURRAY H. WATSON,

Superintendent of Schools.

BUDGET FOR THE DEERFIELD SCHOOL — YEAR 1958-1959

Nos.	Items	Adopted Budget 1957-1958	Amount spent to Jan. 1, '58	School Board's Budget 1958-59	Advisory Board's Rec'tation
1.	Salaries of District Officers	\$ 189.00	\$ none	\$ 189.00	\$ 189.00
2.	Superintendent's Salary, Local Share	530.96	530.96	569.48	569.48
3.	Per Capita Tax, State Wide Supervision	378.00	none	360.00	360.00
4.	Salaries of Other Administrative Pers.	180.48	165.48	174.28	174.28
5.	Administration, Supplies and Expenses	288.86	241.52	337.64	337.64
6.	Teachers' Salaries	14,000.00	4,723.80	15,800.00	15,800.00
7.	Books and Other Instructional Aids	600.00	580.30	675.00	675.00
8.	Scholars' Supplies	600.00	1,022.55	800.00	800.00
9.	Other Instructional Expenses	75.00	none	300.00	200.00
10.	Janitorial Services	1,000.00	363.77	1,000.00	1,000.00
11.	Fuel or Heat	1,000.00	254.98	1,400.00	1,200.00
12.	Water, Light, Janitor's Supplies	700.00	525.95	800.00	800.00
13.	Repairs and replacements	350.00	144.05	500.00	500.00
14.	Health supervision	400.00	93.13	550.00	550.00
15.	Transportation	7,500.00	2,732.87	8,000.00	8,000.00
16.	Tuition	14,000.00	5,155.42	17,000.00	17,000.00
17.	Special Activities, School Lunch	300.00	150.00	300.00	300.00
18.	Retirement, Local Share	936.78	306.44	1,065.48	1,065.48
19.	Insurance, Treas. Bond, and Expenses	402.78	453.75	650.00	550.00
20.	Additions and Improvements	250.00	65.75	300.00	300.00
21.	New Equipment	300.00	319.70	300.00	300.00
22.	Principal of Debt	2,000.00	2,000.00	2,000.00	2,000.00
23.	Interest on Debt	630.00	630.00	585.00	585.00
Totals		\$46,661.86	\$20,460.00	\$53,655.88	\$53,255.88

**SCHOOL DISTRICT OF THE TOWN
OF DEERFIELD
Deerfield, New Hampshire**

To the Selectmen, Town of Deerfield, N. H. :

There is required on or before January 10, 1958 the sum of five thousand dollars (\$5,000.00) derived from School District Appropriation for the maintenance of schools. This leaves a balance due the School District of \$.

You are requested to pay this sum to the Treasurer of the School District of the Town of Deerfield, New Hampshire.

RUTH B. PENNELL,
C. P. SHORT,
WADSWORTH WINSLOW, JR.,
School Board of Deerfield.

January 5, 1958.

**FINANCIAL REPORT
OF TREASURER OF SCHOOL DISTRICT
For Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 1957**

Summary of Receipts

Cash on hand July 1, 1956	\$ 174.29
Received from:	
Selectmen	41,684.42
State Treasurer, National Lunch Program	586.75
State Treasurer, State Building Aid	400.00
State Treasurer, unexpended per capita tax	81.26
Income from trust funds	344.33
City of Portsmouth, tuitions	1,505.00
Cash, sale of mimeograph	50.00
Cash, filing fees	3.00
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Total amount available	\$44,829.05

Summary of Payments

Administration:

1. Salaries of district officers	\$ 155.00
2. Supt's salary, local share	478.00
3. Per capita tax for state wide supervision	330.00
4. Salaries of other administrative personnel	186.70
5. Administrative supplies and expenses	363.48
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	\$ 1,513.18

Instruction:

6. Teachers' salaries	\$12,806.00
7. Books and other instructional aids	101.95
8. Scholars' supplies	588.36

10. Supplies and other expenses	100.34	
	<hr/>	\$13,596.65
Operation of School Plant:		
11. Janitor's salary	\$ 1,013.25	
12. Fuel and heat	1,267.93	
13. Water, lights, and janitor's supplies	584.86	
	<hr/>	\$ 2,866.04
Maintenance of School Plant:		
14. Repairs and replacements		\$ 364.19
Auxiliary Activities:		
15. Health supervision	\$ 329.38	
16. Transportation	7,384.80	
17. High school tuition	11,471.47	
Elementary school tuition		1,366.30
18. Special activities — lunch program	982.91	
	<hr/>	\$21,534.86
Fixed Charges:		
19. Retirement—local share	\$ 915.58	
20. Insurance, Treas. bond and expenses	368.46	
	<hr/>	\$ 1,284.04
21. Additions and improvements		\$ 300.00
Debt and Interest:		
25. Principal	\$ 2,000.00	
26. Interest	630.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 2,630.00
Total payments		\$44,088.96
Cash on hand June 30, 1957		740.09
Grand Total		<hr/> \$44,829.05

SCHOOL BOARD'S DETAILED REPORT OF EXPENDITURES

1. SALARIES OF DISTRICT OFFICERS

Ruth B. Pennell, Member of School Board	\$ 50.00	
Leonard Burritt, Member of School Board	50.00	
Ralph Chase, Member of School Board	50.00	
Ruth Sanborn, Clerk of District	5.00	
	—————	\$ 155.00

2. SUPERINTENDENT'S SALARY, LOCAL SHARE

Treasurer, State of New Hampshire	478.00
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3. TAX FOR STATE WIDE SUPERVISION

State of New Hampshire, per capita tax	330.00
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4. SALARIES OF OTHER ADMINISTRATIVE PERSONNEL

Marjorie C. Pond, Treasurer, Supervisory Union No. 53	\$ 129.00	
Edgar L. Lord, census cards	2.70	
Ernest F. Stevens, Jr., truant officer, two years	30.00	
Charles F. Griffin, taking census	25.00	
	—————	\$ 186.70

5. SUPPLIES AND EXPENSES

Marjorie C. Pond, Union Treasurer	\$ 60.00
New England Telephone and Telegraph Co., Service	105.95
Pembroke Press, record sheets, stationery, cards	26.52
Charles F. Griffin, misc. for projector, mimeograph, etc.	5.35

New Hampshire School Boards Association, dues	10.00
Edson C. Eastman Co., warrants	.30
Educators' Publishing Co., book	1.46
J. L. Hammett Co., workbook	1.80
Murray H. Watson, share of office rent	10.32
Murray H. Watson, telephone and postage	68.12
Ruth B. Pennell, reimbursement	3.63
A. H. Rice Co., projector tube	1.43
American Council on Education, teacher aid	1.05
Edson C. Eastman Co., payroll sheets	3.27
Granite State Press, ballots	8.50
Ruth Sanborn, mileage	1.00
Blake's Greenhouses, flowers for Miss Cronin	5.00
Saturley's Store, four barrels	15.80
Charles F. Griffin, telephone, postage, etc.	33.78
	<hr/> \$ 363.48

6. TEACHERS' SALARIES

Charles F. Griffin	\$ 3,200.00
Joan Converse	3,000.00
Hazel Stephenson	3,000.00
Charles Thorne	3,000.00
Mabel E. Reed	550.00
Nancy T. Stevens	32.00
Doris Maxwell	24.00
	<hr/> \$12,806.00

7. BOOKS AND OTHER INSTRUCTIONAL AIDS

American Book Co., Books	\$ 55.25
J. L. Hammett Co., books	2.66
Teen-Age Education Center, Books	10.08
John D. Whittier, books	4.13
Macmillan Co., workbooks	13.16
Elementary Evaluative Criteria, tests	5.77

Lorenz Publishing Co., music books	9.40	
New Hampshire Superintendents Asso., Guide	1.50	
	<hr/>	\$ 101.95

8. SCHOLARS' SUPPLIES

J. L. Hammett Co., books, workbooks, pencils	\$ 418.26	
Wilcox and Follett Co., books	15.12	
Milton Bradley Co., books	4.32	
Pioneer Office Appliance Co., mimeograph paper, duplicating liquid, etc.	48.75	
American Education Publications, books	36.80	
Joan Converse, reimbursement for book	1.25	
The Continental Press, books, master- sheets, workbooks	10.05	
Scott Foresman, books	3.26	
Collins Store, equipment	50.55	
	<hr/>	\$ 588.36

10. OTHER INSTRUCTIONAL EXPENSES

Granite State Press, town reports	19.00	
J. Davidson, books	19.20	
New Hampshire State Library, lost books	7.75	
Concord Hardware Co., paint, expansion bolts	6.67	
J. L. Hammett Co., diplomas	24.72	
Evans Printing Co., graduation programs	23.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 100.34

11. JANITORIAL SERVICE

Ernest F. Stevens, Jr., janitor	\$ 1,000.00	
The Blue Bowl, janitor's supplies	13.25	
	<hr/>	\$ 1,013.25

12. FUEL AND HEAT

W. H. Hoyt, fuel oil	\$ 207.70	
Huckins Oil Co., Inc., fuel oil	1,060.23	
	<hr/>	\$ 1,267.93

13. WATER, LIGHTS, AND JANITOR'S SUPPLIES

New Hampshire Electric Co., service	\$ 335.35
C. W. Phillips, toilet paper, paper towels, etc.	59.50
Alf Lindahl, brushes	13.50
Masury-Young Co., Solegrip wax, vacuum repair	69.50
The Blue Bowl, soap, sponges, cleaners	9.00
Stanley Home Products, mop	2.45
Waxine Co., sweeping compound	11.30
Carter, Rice, Storrs, and Bement, Inc., soap	18.53
Rochester Germicide Co., germicide for toilets	50.35
J. L. Hammett, wastebaskets	8.80
The Ocean and Forest Products Co., wax	6.50
	<hr/> \$ 584.86

14. REPAIRS AND REPLACEMENTS

Howard Johnston, carpentry	\$ 42.00
Concord Hardware Co., lock repair and hardware	12.34
Daniel A. Sundeen, panes of ribbed glass	12.51
Huckins Oil Co., Inc. furnace repair	100.25
W. H. Cook and Sons Piano Co., tuning	16.00
Preston Wares, carpentry	53.50
Leo F. Lessard, lawn mower repair	9.60
Waldo Twombly, mowing	8.00
Ralph Chase, reimbursement for repair of vacuum	2.12
James C. O'Neal, plumbing repairs	80.43
A. H. Rice Co., repair of projector	9.50
Saturley's Store, hardware	2.65
Pioneer Office Appliance Co., repair of mimeograph	2.79
Charles F. Griffin, reimbursement for repair of swings	12.50
	<hr/> \$ 364.19

15. HEALTH SUPERVISION

R. S. Sawyer Co., filing cards for health file	\$ 3.60	
Mrs. Dorothy Bassett, dental hygienist	15.00	
Margaret E. Cronin, school nurse	202.24	
New Hampshire Teachers' Retirement system	21.38	
Estate of Margaret E. Cronin	87.16	
	<hr/>	\$ 329.38

16. TRANSPORTATION

Mary Cheney	\$ 540.00	
Kenneth Nay	2,760.00	
Ernest F. Stevens, Jr.	2,691.96	
Wadsworth Winslow, Jr.	1,350.00	
Charles F. Griffin	42.84	
	<hr/>	\$ 7,384.80

17. TUITION

High School		
Coe-Brown Academy	\$ 7,761.40	
Pembroke Academy	75.00	
City of Manchester	3,185.07	
Raymond High School	450.00	
	<hr/>	\$11,471.47
Elementary schools		
Dover	\$ 398.80	
Rye	860.00	
Atkinson	107.50	
	<hr/>	\$ 1,366.30

18. SPECIAL ACTIVITIES

Evelyn Cray, lunch program	\$ 225.00	
State of New Hampshire to lunch program	661.75	
National School Methods, lunch tickets	8.85	
The Lynch Co., athletic equipment	11.43	

Charles F. Griffin, mileage for athletic trips	75.88	
	<hr/>	\$ 982.91

19. RETIREMENT, LOCAL SHARE

Teachers' Retirement System	\$ 915.58
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20. INSURANCE, TREASURER'S BOND, AND EXPENSES

L. A. Stevens Agency, insurance	\$ 184.23
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Grange Mutual Fire Insurance Co., insurance	184.23
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\$ 368.46

22. ADDITIONS AND IMPROVEMENTS

Willis Rollins, tarred area behind school	\$ 300.00
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25. PRINCIPAL OF DEBT

Merchants' National Bank of Boston	\$ 2,000.00
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26. INTEREST ON DEBT

Merchants' National Bank of Boston	\$ 630.00
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Total Expenditures	\$44,088.96
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Cash balance on hand June 30, 1957	740.09
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Grand total	\$44,829.05
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Explanation of Purchases Under Item Numbers

Items 1, 2, 3, and 4 are self explanatory.

Item 5, includes expenditures for travel, telephone, and for supplies of materials used for administration as well as freight and cartage thereon. The usual supplies are ink, carbon paper, printed forms, vouchers, ledgers and other materials which once used are actually consumed, or do not last more than five years.

Item 6, includes teachers' salaries, plus withholding tax, retirement, Blue Cross, etc.

Item 7, includes cost of books for pupils, cost of films, film strips, pictures, charts, maps, photograph records, sheet music, globes, small musical instruments, and other instructional aids that last more than two years.

Item 8, includes workbooks, tests, chalk, ink, pencils, pens, fasteners, carbon paper, rubber stamps, typewriting supplies, magazines, newspapers, etc.

Item 10, includes diplomas, expenditures for graduation, speakers, repair and replacement of maps, reference books, flags, flag ropes, flag staffs, rentals of instructional materials, testing services, travel, and telephone service, and freight and cartage on the same.

Items 11 and 12 are self explanatory.

Item 13, includes light bill, janitor's supplies; for example, electric light bulbs, toilet supplies such as soap, paper, towels, sweeping compounds, brooms and mops.

Item 14, includes painting, replacing broken windows and all repairs to mechanical equipment such as plumbing, heat, light, ventilation, and repairs to pipe lines, and heating plants. It includes repairs to equipment not built into the building such as desks, chairs, projector, etc. Also includes all labor not performed by regular custodial staff.

Item 15 includes all expenditures for medical, dental, and nurse service in the nature of inspection, first aid, weighing, etc.

Items 16 and 17 are self explanatory.

Item 18 is the hot lunch program.

The balance of the items are understandable, with the possible exception of Item 23, which includes portable blackboards, bookcases, chairs, desks, filing cabinets, refrigerators, etc.

RUTH B. PENNELL,
WADSWORTH WINSLOW, JR.,
CORNELIUS P. SHORT,

School Board.

AUDITOR'S CERTIFICATE

I have examined original vouchers of purchase together with manifests and the supporting evidence and find everything in order and bank balance as shown to be correct.

WILLIAM C. MAXWELL,
Auditor.

July 13, 1957

Report of the Supervisory Union No. 53 on the distribution of the Superintendent's Salary and Travel inside the Union for the year 1956-1957.

District	Salary Local Share	Travel Local Share	Total Local Share
Allenstown	\$ 425.13	\$ 65.52	\$ 490.65
Candia	560.23	87.08	647.31
DEERFIELD	413.98	64.02	478.00
Hooksett	1,234.06	192.50	1,426.56
Pembroke	1,011.65	157.50	1,169.15
Raymond	854.95	133.39	988.33
Totals	\$4,500.00	\$ 700.00	\$5,200.00
State's Share	\$2,500.00	\$ none	\$2,500.00
Totals	\$7,000.00	\$ 700.00	\$7,000.00

STATISTICAL REPORT
For the Year Ending June 30, 1957

Half-days in session	360
Total enrollment	141
Average Membership	131.9
Percent of Attendance	92.5
Number of pupils transported by district	131
Number of Tardinesses per pupil	0.19
Number of visits — School Board	21
Number of visits — Superintendent	31
Number of visits — School Nurse	30
Number of visits — All others	54

SCHOOL CALENDAR

January to June, 1958.—

Schools open	Thursday, January 2
Schools close	Friday, February 21
(Winter Vacation — Feb. 24-28)	

Schools open	Monday, March 3
Schools close	Friday, April 11
(Teachers' Institute)	

Schools open	Monday, April 14
Schools close	Friday, April 25
(Spring Vacation — Apr. 28-May 2)	

Schools open	Monday, May 5
Schools close	Friday, May 30
(Memorial Day)	

Schools open	Monday, June 2
Schools close	Friday, June 13
(Or at the completion of 180 days)	

September to December, 1958 — (Tentative)

Schools open	Thursday, September 4
Schools close	Thursday & Friday, September 25-26
(Deerfield Fair)	

Schools open	Monday, September 29
Schools close	Thursday & Friday, October 16-17
Schools open	Monday, October 20
Schools close	Thursday & Friday, November 27-28
(Thanksgiving)	

Schools open	Monday, December 1
Schools close	Friday, December 19
(Christmas Vacation — Dec. 22-Jan 5)	

CHILDREN REGISTERED IN HIGH SCHOOL **1956 - 1957** ---

Coe-Brown Northwood Academy:

Leonard Burritt	Grade 12
Lewis Smith	Grade 12
Nancy Corbin	Grade 12
Mildred Pectie	Grade 12
Charlotte West	Grade 12
George Witham	Grade 12
Robert Meatty	Grade 11
David Short	Grade 11
Sally Burt	Grade 11
Diane Shores	Grade 11
Richard Stevens	Grade 11
George Dunn	Grade 10
Albert Witham	Grade 10
Paul Smith	Grade 10
Robert Cheney	Grade 10
Kenneth Potter	Grade 10
Gerald Shepard	Grade 9
Terrence Higgins	Grade 9
Linda Burt	Grade 9
Carol Farr	Grade 9
Nancy Farr	Grade 9
Harriett Goddard	Grade 9
Brenda Smith	Grade 9
Cynthia Stevens	Grade 9
Edith Twombly	Grade 9
Beverly Gardner	Grade 9

Manchester Central High School:

Lillian Luckenbach	Grade 12
Joan Brainard	Grade 11
Winfred Hutchinson	Grade 11
Peter Lindahl	Grade 11

Geraldine Lawler	Grade 10
Nancy Luckenbach	Grade 10
Constance Plante	Grade 10
Ruth Sanborn	Grade 10
Pauline Luckenbach	Grade 9
William Malcolm	Grade 9
Priscilla Sanborn	Grade 9
Pembroke Academy :	
Betty Mandigo	Grade 9
Raymond High School :	
Amanda Purrington	Grade 9
Donna Inziniak	Grade 9

Tuition Pupils Registered in both
Elementary and Secondary Schools

Foster Children :

 In Rye Elementary School :

Wanita M. Yeaton	Grade 6
Grace L. Yeaton	Grade 5

 In Atkinson Elementary School :

Harold G. Yeaton	Grade 5
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 In Dover Elementary Schools :

Caroline Rand	Grade 5
Leonna Rand	Grade 7

 In Coe-Brown Northwood Academy :

Nancy Corbin	Grade 12
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REPORT OF THE SCHOOL LUNCH PROGRAM

I have audited the records of Mrs. Cray of the Hot Lunch Program and find as follows:

Receipts

Balance, July 1, 1956	\$ 1.48
Town of Deerfield	300.00
State of New Hampshire	586.75
Lunch Sales	2,522.35
Donation, P. T. A.	1.75
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Total	\$3,412.33

Expenses

Food	\$2,276.75
Labor	862.00
Equipment	99.58
Bottled Gas	67.00
Petty Cash	5.00
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Total	\$3,309.73
Balance July 15, 1957	\$ 102.60
Unexpended Petty Cash	3.12
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Total on Hand	\$ 105.72
Balance per Suncook Bank Statement, June 21, 1957	\$ 42.64
Deposit made June 26th	132.95
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	\$ 175.59

Less—Checks outstanding	147.47
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Bank balance, July 15, 1957	28.12
Cash on hand (Mrs. Cray)	77.60
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Balance as above	\$ 105.72
Still to come from State — Reimbursement for May	\$49.60

Could not do too much in regard to checking total lunches sold with money taken in as reduced lunches were sold at varying prices and was unable to identify.

I found the records to be in good order and in accordance with the above findings.

Yours very truly,

W. C. MAXWELL,
Auditor.

July 15, 1957

ANNUAL SCHOOL HEALTH SERVICE REPORT 1956-1957

Total number of pupils examined		151
Defects	No. Cases	No. Treated
Vision	10	11
Skin	2	2
Speech	1	
Teeth		90
Vision Tests		151
Hearing Tests		14
Inspections		137
Heights		137
Weights		137
Chicken Pox		2
Measles		19
Pediculosis		5
Other		2
No. successfully vaccinated		137
Clinics and	No.	No.
Special Referrals	Examined	Treated
Dental (Sept. to June)	49	49
Preschool (entering in fall)	14	
Polio (Nov. 13, 1956)	71	81

Respectfully submitted,

ADONIA A. DOUILLETTE, R. N.,
School Nurse.

For Margaret E. Cronin, R.N.

Births Registered in the Town of Deerfield, N. H., for the Year Ending December 31, 1957

Date and Place of Birth	Name of the Child (if any)	Male or Female	Living	No. of Children	Color	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother	Color of Parents	Residence of Parents	Birthplace of Father	Birthplace of Mother
1956											
Dec. 28	Manchester	F	L	1	W	John E. Scribner	Phyllis Ann Ross	W	Deerfield	Deerfield	Manchester
1957											
Mar. 14	Exeter	F	L	2	W	Curtis L. Merrill	Anita P. Perry	W	Deerfield	Haverhill, Mass.	Lowell, Mass.
April 9	Exeter	M	L	11	W	Charles J. Greenwood	Lorraine Vigneau	W	Deerfield	Lowell, Mass.	Somerville, Mass.
June 21	Concord	F	L	4	W	Alvah H. Yeaton	Alberta F. Witham	W	Deerfield	Pittsfield, N. H.	Deerfield
Aug. 4	Concord	M	L	4	W	Richard C. Pugsley	Margaret G. Brown	W	Deerfield	Malden, Mass.	Cambridge, Mass.
Oct. 16	Exeter	F	L	5	W	William J. Briand	Edith M. Harris	W	Deerfield	Dorchester, Mass.	Billerica, Mass.
Delayed Certificate of Birth 1897											
June 17		F	L		W	Gustaf H. Anderson	Johanna Lindstrom	W	Deerfield	Sweden	Sweden

I hereby certify that the above return is correct, according to the best of my knowledge and belief.

ALBERT H. BURT, Town Clerk

Marriages Registered in the Town of Deerfield, N. H., for the Year Ending December 31, 1957

Date and Place of Marriage	Name and Surname of Groom and Bride	Residence of each at time of Marriage	♂	♀	Occupation of Groom and Bride	Place of Birth of Each	Names of Parents	Birthplace of Parents	Name, Residence and Official Station of Persons by Whom Married
June 22 Chichester	Frank H. O'Neal Dolores C. Marston	Deerfield London	27	W	well contr. Factory wkr.	Deerfield Quincy, Mass.	William H. O'Neal Nellie B. McDonald	Massachusetts New Hampshire	H. Franklin Parker, Chichester Clergyman
June 1 Manchester	William R. Cray, Jr. Joan L. Peterson	Deerfield Manchester	22	W	U. S. Army Mill worker	Boston, Mass. New Hampshire	Dorothy K. Getz William Cray	Massachusetts Massachusetts	William L. Quirk, Manchester Catholic Priest
July 20 Goffstown	Robert H. Quimby Mildred E. Matulaitis	Manchester Deerfield	35 31	W W	Telephone wkr. At home	New Hampshire New Hampshire	Ethel G. Edwards Ralph S. Peterson Clara E. Freeman Biron Quimby Catherine Grady William Florence Alma Beaudin	Massachusetts New Hampshire New Hampshire New Hampshire New Hampshire New Hampshire New Hampshire	Ben Piper, Goffstown Justice of Peace
Aug. 30 Barrington	George W. Witham Bernice E. Bigelow	Deerfield E. Barrington	49 47	W W	Butcher Nurse	New Hampshire Massachusetts	Albert Witham Salina Brace Chester Ramsdell	New Hampshire Vermont Massachusetts	Katie J. MacNeill, Center Strafford Baptist Minister
Sept. 6 Deerfield	Sidney N. Wason Edith G. Malcolm	Raymond Deerfield	20 18	W W	Mason Factory wkr.	New Hampshire Massachusetts	Katherine Besse Luther M. Wason Carrie Hillard	Massachusetts New Hampshire Massachusetts	Thomas W. Kidd, Deerfield Clergyman
Sept. 21 Chester	Joseph T. Doucette Helen V. Froton	Salem Depot Billerica, Mass.	45 42	W W	Machinist Inspector	Massachusetts Massachusetts	William Malcolm Evelyn Stewart Thomas Doucette Sophie DeRoche Fred Badger	Massachusetts Massachusetts Canada Massachusetts	Carrie A. Richardson, Chester Justice of Peace
Sept. 21 Belmont	Warren D. Billings, Jr. Norma E. Weeks	Deerfield Belmont	24 23	W W	Clerk Clerk	Massachusetts New Hampshire	Rebecca Stamper Warren D. Billings Florence Bretnall Sumner Weeks Elise Toussaint	Massachusetts Massachusetts Pennsylvania New Hampshire New Hampshire	Arthur L. Massicotte, Belmont Catholic Priest
Oct. 26 Northwood	Paul A. O'Neal Lorraine E. DeButts	Deerfield Nottingham	22 19	W W	Electrician File clerk	Deerfield Boston, Mass.	William H. O'Neal Nellie B. McDonald Maurice F. Tuttle Barbara Fredericks	Massachusetts New Hampshire New Hampshire Massachusetts	Walter S. Oddy, Northwood Minister of Gospel
Nov. 23 Deerfield	Wilfred H. Florence, Jr. Shirley A. Hebert	Deerfield Deerfield	23 21	W W	Well driller Waitress	Deerfield Manchester	Wilfred Florence Marjorie Stevens Arthur Hebert Agnes Proulx Paul R. Savoie	Massachusetts New Hampshire New Hampshire New Hampshire New Hampshire	Carolyn F. Scott, Deerfield Minister
Nov. 23 Manchester	Louis G. J. Savoie Joanne J. Brainerd	Manchester Deerfield	21 17	W W	Shoe worker At home	Manchester Peterboro	Rose E. Gagne Perry C. Brainerd Rose B. Dyer	Canada New Hampshire New Hampshire	Francis H. Callahan, Manchester Catholic Priest

Marriages Registered in the Town of Deerfield, N. H., for the Year Ending December 31, 1957

Date and Place of Marriage	Name and Surname of Groom and Bride	Residence of each at time of Marriage	Age of Groom and Bride	Occupation of Groom and Bride	Place of Birth of Each	Names of Parents	Birthplace of Parents	Name, Residence and Official Station of Persons by Whom Married
1956 Oct. 3 Northwood	Lynwood Coddling Fife Clara Abbie Tasker	Deerfield Northwood	19 W 15 W	Boat builder At home	Manchester Northwood	Willie C. Fife Charlotte Coddling Lawrence Tasker Freda Freeman	Manchester Brattleboro, Vt. Northwood Barrington	Stanley N. White, Northwood Minister of Gospel
1957 Feb. 28 Auburn	Lawrence L. Twombly Cynthia L. Fugere	Deerfield Candia	21 W 19 W	Machinist Examiner	New Hampshire Massachusetts	Waldo H. Twombly Beatrice A. Smith Oliver J. Fugere Hilda L. Moore	New Hampshire New Hampshire Rhode Island Massachusetts	Raymond Langlois, Auburn Catholic Priest
April 6 Candia	Jack C. Turner Barbara M. Mandigo	Manchester Deerfield	24 W 20 W	Mechanic Office work	New Hampshire New Hampshire	Orton B. Turner Juliette Dube Clifton Mandigo	New Hampshire New Hampshire New Hampshire	Bruce C. Perron, L. M. Candia Minister of Gospel
May 4 Raymond	Robert L. Wilson Irene P. Gardner	Raymond Deerfield	44 W 43 W	Shoe shop Waitress	Massachusetts New Hampshire	Bernice Arnold Lewis E. Wilson Nellie M. Brown Isaac Higgins	New Hampshire Massachusetts New Hampshire New Hampshire	Robert Clement, Raymond Justice of Peace
May 21 Candia	Charles W. Smith Sandra A. Petterson	Deerfield Hooksett	18 W 18 W	Farmer Waitress	New Hampshire New Hampshire	Maude Kidder Unknown Margaret Smith Carl Petterson	New Hampshire New Hampshire New Hampshire New Hampshire	Bruce C. Perron, L. M., Candia Minister of Gospel
May 24 Epping	Francis F. DeCota Maxine E. Kimball	Deerfield Pittsfield	39 W 19 W	Logging At home	New Hampshire New Hampshire	Hazel Harrison George DeCota Stella Colburn Myron Kimball	New Hampshire New Hampshire New Hampshire New Hampshire	D. Watson Ladd, Epping Justice of Peace
June 26 Candia	Donald O. Martel Sandra E. Ross	Deerfield Deerfield	18 W 19 W	Navy Mill worker	Massachusetts New Hampshire	Gladys Welch Odina Martel Mary A. Deveau Gordon L. Ross	New Hampshire Massachusetts Canada New Hampshire	George E. Seavey, Candia Justice of Peace
June 29 Deerfield	Ralph A. Brown Joyce P. Taylor	Raymond Deerfield	32 W 26 W	Truck driver Toggler	New Hampshire New Hampshire	Vera L. Place George L. Brown Clara A. Fitts John W. Taylor	New Hampshire New Hampshire New Hampshire New Hampshire	Thomas W. Kidd, Deerfield Clergyman
July 3 Northwood	Norman M. Shepard Beverly A. Gardner	Deerfield Deerfield	22 W 16 W	Teamster At home	New Hampshire New Hampshire	Lottie P. Denyon Roger Shepard Alberta Estes Felix E. Gardner Irene P. Higgins	New Hampshire New Hampshire New Hampshire New Hampshire New Hampshire	Frank K. Neasy, Northwood Baptist Minister

I hereby certify that the above return is correct, according to the best of my knowledge and belief.

ALBERT H. BURTT, Town Clerk

Deaths Registered in the Town of Deerfield, N. H., for the Year Ending December 31, 1957

Date and Place of Death	Name and Surname of Deceased	Age			Place of Birth	Sex	Single or Married	Occupation	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother
		Years	Months	Days						
1957										
Jan. 12	Deerfield	75	..	..	Pictou, N. S.	M	W	Carpenter	Richard Johnston	Unknown
Jan. 22	Deerfield	87	..	..	N.Britain, Conn.	F	W	Housewife	George Mathers	Mary Ann (?)
Feb. 3	Deerfield	54	..	..	Deerfield	F	W	Mill worker	Samuel Mandigo	Gertrude Bickford
Feb. 20	Deerfield	50	..	..	Manchester	M	W	Farmer	Willie Lewis	Ernestine Small
May 15	Deerfield	76	8	18	Nova Scotia	F	W	At home	Not Known	Not Known
May 18	Pittsfield	85	..	..	Chichester	F	W	Cook	Oliver G. Messer	Lorena S. Lake
June 4	Exeter	76	..	..	Boston, Mass.	M	W	Carpenter	Charles Hersey	Florence R. Lawton
July 28	Exeter	70	..	..	Deerfield	F	W	Housewife	Abraham L. Lang	Emeline Ring
July 5	Brentwood	74	..	..	Taunton, Mass.	F	W	Clerk	William A. Roberts	Nellie G. Decker
Aug. 11	Deerfield	46	..	..	Allenstown	M	W	Housewife	James Welch	Cora Murray
Aug. 18	Goffstown	31	..	..	Greenfield	M	W	Forestry Dept.	Elwin White	Hazel Rollins
Sept. 21	Exeter	82	..	..	Connecticut	F	W	Housewife	Joseph White	Jane White
Oct. 18	Deerfield	80	..	..	Lynn, Mass.	M	W	Real estate	John Bluitte	Julia (?)
Nov. 21	Deerfield	93	..	..	Nottingham	F	W	Housewife	George Wendell	Henerietta Fox
<i>Bodies Brought for Burial</i>										
1957										
April 26	Rochester	68	..	..	Northwood	F	W	Housewife	W. Albert Edmunds	Susan Philbrick
Sept. 14	Brentwood	85	10	24	Deerfield	M	W	Lawyer	William Churchill	Martha Robinson
Sept. 17	Manchester	76	..	..	Deerfield	M	W	Lumberman	Iosiah Tilton	Ellen Langmaid
Oct. 24	Exeter	79	..	..	Deerfield	F	W	Housewife	William Lang	Not Known
Oct. 28	Hav'hill, Mass.	89	..	..	Deerfield	F	W	Housewife	Joseph Thompson	Hannah Jones
Nov. 14	Concord	81	Candia	F	W	Housewife	Daniel MacDonald	Unknown
Dec. 19	P-body, Mass.	87	2	6	Deerfield	M	W	Housewife	Frank Fogg	Louisa E. Morse

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ALBERT H. BURTT, Town Clerk



